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## N.Y. Communists March For Palestine

Determined on a show of strength, despite inclement weather, to evidence adoption of what for them was a newly-espoused cause, Communist and left-wing labor leaders mustered 10,000 persons in a Palestine protest parade rally in New York.

Youthful and disciplined Communists raised their battle cry of "solidarity forever" as they marched through driving rain and pelting hailstones from Seventh Avenue and Twenty-ninth Street to Madison Square Park. Trudging along with them were the unorganized middle-aged persons for the most part, who braved the elements to further their age-old dream of a homeland for the Jewish people.

The parade and rally were held under the auspices of the United Committee to Save the Jewish State and the United Nations, formed recently after the internationally-minded Communists decided to "take over" an intensely nationalistic cause, the partition of Palestine. Committee chairman and grand marshal of the parade was Ben Gold, president of the Communist-led International Fur and Leather Workers Union, CIO.

Although the committee's stated aims, for which the drums have been beaten by the Daily Worker, Communist newspaper, were to agitate for carrying through Palestine partition, the lifting of the arms embargo and the opening of the Holy Land for wider Jewish immigration, the rally at Madison Square Park turned into a political [illegible] for the candidacy of [illegible]

[illegible] added measure, according to the New York Herald Tribune.

"The budget of the Jewish Agency over many years has always included large sums of money for "'security and military organizations'," the document went on. "In the year 1946 the Jewish Agency spent $3,808,697 and in 1947, $6,075,000.

"According to the publications of the United Jewish Appeal for 1948, the Jewish Agency is bidding for $28,000,000, for 'national organization and security.' These enormous sums of money have been used by the Jewish Agency for supplying the terrorist organizations with arms, explosives and ammunition."

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## Aden Jews Get Help After Arab Riot

Because of Arab violence against Jews in the British protectorate of Aden, the Joint Distribution Committee, 270 Madison Avenue, New York, has appropriated $50,400 for emergency aid and relief of the Jews there.

Dr. Julius Magnes, head of the Hebrew University, and chairman of the Committee's Middle East Advisory Committee, simultaneously applied to the Palestine Government for racial non-quota visas for 950 Jewish orphans in Aden, sixty of whom lost their parents in the recent riots.

The committee appropriations for Aden include $28,400 for housing, clothing and teaching materials and $24,000 for a supplementary feeding program. The Committee also appropriates $12,000 monthly for general relief purposes.

The Committee, which in the last two years appropriated about $200,000 for relief of Yemenite Jews in Aden, previously sent an emergency grant of $11,000 when news of the Arab attack last December reached the United States. The Committee's funds are provided through the $250,000,000 campaign of the United Jewish Appeal.

Harry Viteles, member of the Committee's Middle East Advisory Committee, reported that of the 170 Jewish shops in Aden, 114 were partly or totally destroyed. Four synagogues and two schools were looted and ruined, he added.

Arab violence, he went on, has "totally paralyzed" Jewish business. The British authorities, he added,

Some proclaimed boldly that the marchers carrying them belonged to Communist-led unions. Others, like the home-made affair of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union, were more cautious, merely reading "members of." The ILGWU is a right-wing union and this obviously was an unofficial sign. There were delegations purporting to come from various city colleges under the grouping of "intercollegiate division" of the "American Youth for Democracy." These marchers carried school books, the youths for the most part being hatless and the girls swathed in rain garments and hoods.

Some of the bands played "Hatikvah", the Zionist anthem. Behind these came marchers singing, trudging through the icy slush. Young militants chanted "Save the Jewish State; Smash the Embargo." Still others, a group representing the New York Chapter of the Communist party, sang out "solidarity forever," and in unison "Truman talks civil rights—Clark strangled civil rights—Stop Deportations."

There were banners held high despite the rain and the wind. They [illegible] "Save the Jewish State", and "Smash the Gentlemen's Agreement Between the State Department and Standard Oil."

## New Head Of H.U.C. Installed

Religious faith is an essential factor in building a world structure for peace and cooperation, President Truman declared in a message sent to Hebrew Union College in Cincinnati, Ohio, where a thousand spectators and religious leaders, gathered for the inauguration of Dr. Nelson Glueck, famous archaeologist and biblical scholar, fourth president in the seventy-three years of the college.

"In this day when the moral influence of religion is so important to the preservation of free institutions we are fortunate that a man of Dr. Glueck's brilliant intellect and religious devotion has assumed the important responsibility of training young rabbis for the leadership of American Jewry," President Truman wrote. "It is becoming increasingly apparent that religious faith is one of the most essential factors in the building of a world structure for peace and cooperation.

"The work of diplomats and statesmen is to no avail unless it is buttressed by the unswerving faith and support of the people they represent, and this support is dependent upon their adherence to the ethical and moral principles of religion. There is thus no greater need than the advancement of the cause of religious faith among the peoples of the world no matter what that faith may be."

Religion must be made more vital and must meet the every-day needs of the people, speakers asserted. Moreover, it was urged that religion be couched in terms understandable to laymen.

A reconstruction of Jewish tradition that would bring about a meeting between Jewish scholarship and the contemporary scientific

Declaring that problems of economic antagonisms and political conflicts were manifestations of spiritual frustration, Dr. Abraham A. Neuman, president of Dropsie College in Philadelphia, said that the hopes of the world rested not on might or materialism "but on the redemptive power of religion and spirituality."

"Civilization is starved spiritually at the roots," he declared, "and the result has been mass, moral stultification."

American Jewry has developed an inferiority complex because it has succumbed to thinking of itself as an "insignificant minority," according to Dr. Joshua Loth Liebman, rabbi of Temple Israel, Boston. He urged Jews and other groups in American life to think of themselves in terms of equality status.

One of the great diseases of our time, said Dr. Liebman, author of "Peace of Mind," is the growing habit of thinking in terms of minorities and majorities.

For an eight-million-dollar building and expansion program, more than three-quarters of a million dollars has already been raised, it was announced. New buildings and departments will provide the most drastic change in the seventy-three-year history of America's oldest Jewish theological seminary.

Founded by Dr. Isaac Mayer Wise in 1875, the college has or-

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## Arabs Blame Jews For Terror

In a memorandum to United Nations delegates, the Arab Higher Committee of Palestine charged that the Jewish Agency is massing "thousands of illegal immigrants in Europe where they are trained in fighting and sabotage with the intention of going to Palestine to fight the Arabs."

The Arab U.N. delegation, headed by Isa Nakhleh, in what it called a "black paper on the Jewish Agency and Zionist Terrorism," declared that the Zionists had smuggled in arms, built munitions factories in the Holy Land and even "set up laboratories for bacteriological warfare."

The Jewish Agency office in New York declined any immediate comment on the twenty-page document, which was capped by a list of sixty-five detailed "incidents" of Jewish terrorism" over the last five years, including alleged outrages against Christian and Moslem holy places.

The Arabs asserted that "Zionists must bear responsibility for every drop of innocent blood shed in the Holy Land." They contended the Zionists had controlled propaganda channels in important countries; bullied and smeared opponents, and "created a net of spying all over the world, in the Middle East, Palestine, Europe, the United States of America and other countries."

"The Zionists," the memorandum went on, "have incited the Jews of Europe to migrate to Palestine, and to that end, they have been the real obstacle in the way of the settlement of the refugees and displaced-persons problem. . . . They even had the audacity to form kidnapping rings for abducting children and taking them to Palestine."

by groups composed mainly or largely of foreign invaders; frontier violations by armed Arab bands have become bolder and more frequent, and preparations for major aggression when the mandate ends are going forward intensively under the auspices of Arab Governments and the direction of a command jointly appointed by them."

The aim of this aggression, the Agency said, "is frankly stated to be the forcible imposition of the settlement which the General Assembly rejected, namely the establishment of a unified Arab state in the whole of Palestine."

Saying that it is this external aggression that invests the security problem in Palestine with its acuteness and gravity, the Jewish Agency insists that "without the manpower, funds and equipment supplied by foreign governments, the disturbances in Palestine, where the bulk of the Arab population has shown little disposition for conflict, would have never become a major military issue."

Blaming Britain for failing to intercept the 5,000 to 6,000 Arab incursionists into Palestine, the Agency statement concludes that "an unexpected dereliction of duty by the mandatory power has allowed Arab aggression to reach its present degree of menace."

Giving sixteen pages of photographs and press clippings to substantiate its charges against the Governments of the Arab League, the Jewish Agency memorandum states:

"It is impossible in the face of such cumulative evidence to deny that Arab Governments are planning and executing operations which create a threat to the peace in Palestine, for the purpose of imposing the settlement which the General Assembly rejected last November."

## Many Practical Questions Face Palestine May 15

Amid the ceaseless chatter of legal technicalities at Lake Success, N. Y., no one has yet demonstrated how to grapple successfully with the thousand and one hard practical problems in Palestine. While the lawyers are debating, it may be useful to catalogue the questions that will be ready for them when they get through, says James B. Reston, in the New York Times.

1. On May 15, who will have legal responsibility for running Palestine? The British say they will give up their responsibility for it that day and hand it to the United Nations Palestine Commission, but will the commission have the men, money and legal responsibility to carry out the functions of government?

2. On May 15, who will pay the policemen and who will provide them? About 9,000 of the 18,000 Palestine police are Arabs, about 4,000 Jews and the rest British. The British and Arabs will probably pull out, but will the Palestine Commission have means of replacing them?

3. On May 15, who will protect the Palestine Commission itself? The British say their troops will be responsible only for their own protection and the protection of British property and that they will hand over arms for the police to the commission. But how will the commission be able to prevent a Jewish-Arab race for the arms if it does not have a force to protect even itself?

4. On May 15, and even before, who will be responsible for bringing the necessary food into Palestine from abroad? For example, Palestine now needs and is getting through the British [illegible]

5. On May 15, who will run the trains, deliver the mail, operate the telephone system, repair the telephone and railroad lines that criss-cross between Jewish Palestine and Arab Palestine? The British say these will be handed over to the United Nations, but specifically to whom? Legalities aside, who will shovel the coal and shinny the poles?

7. On May 15, and even before, who will maintain the health services? By maintaining a close watch on the frontiers for "carriers," the British and the Jews have been able to deal with the cholera epidemics that have threatened the region every spring, but what of this spring and early summer?

8. On May 15, who will produce the necessary protection and essential supplies for Jerusalem? The city is populated by about 100,000 Jews and about 105,000 Arabs and others. Under the partition plan, it is to be an enclave surrounded by Arab territory. For almost all the necessities of life it depends on the outer regions.

In a country with virtually no coal or wood, Jerusalem relies for heat and electricity on fuel oil, which comes from Arab Iraq to Haifa, and thence across Arab Palestine. Even its [illegible] must be pumped [illegible] oil[illegible] across Arab [illegible] anyone find a [illegible] this one?

## Claim Delay Used To Force Arab State

There is a growing impression that a special session of the United Nations General Assembly will have to be called to take up the whole partition problem again. In some quarters the idea of an interim trusteeship regime for the whole of Palestine is rapidly gaining favor.

Thus the outlook at the United Nations is for more of the delay and uncertainty over the issue of partitioning Palestine. It is this delay, according to the Jewish Agency statement, "has emboldened and hardened Arab intransigeance."

The Agency memorandum, which was submitted both to the Security Council and the Palestine Commission, declares that since its first statement on Arab aggression in Palestine on Feb. 2, "bellicose propaganda has been intensified; new attacks on the Jewish population of Palestine have been carried out


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# Social Notes — Montreal

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Marcovits and son, Peter, Queen Mary Road, are spending a week at Hotel Vermont, in Ste. Agathe.

Mrs. A. Fleisher, Ridgevale Avenue, went to New York to meet her husband, who is arriving on the Queen Mary after a three-month tour on the continent.

Mrs. L. Briskin and daughter, Mrs. H. Balinsky, Meridian Road, are in New York.

Bernard M. Sabbath, Jean Brillant Street, returned by plane after spending four weeks in Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Malus and family, Lacombe Avenue, spent several days at Ste. Agathe.

Mrs. R. B. Kramer, Pousard Avenue, is spending several days at Ivry.

Mrs. Rose Rubin, Queen Mary Road, is returning from Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Saul Cohen, of North Hollywood, Calif., who were [illegible] Avenue, went to New York to join Mr. Wolfe, who returned home after spending some time in Europe, and they are now in Florida.

Joseph H. Fine, K. C., and Mrs. Fine, Grovehill Place, have returned from Miami Beach, where they spent the past three weeks.

Mrs. M. Wexler, 4386 Lacombe Avenue; Mrs. J. Scodnick, 5781 Trans Island Avenue; and Miss Betty Scodnick, 5783 Clark Street, entertained at a tea at Ruby Foo's, in honor of Mrs. Melvin Mendelsohn, formerly Miss Sheila Shuter. Flowers centered the tables and candles were placed at the head table. Mrs. Wexler wore a blue crepe dress, with a corsage of red roses; Mrs. Scodnick, a brown crepe dress, with a corsage of yellow roses; Miss Scodnick, a turquoise-blue print dress, with a vari-colored mohair hat, and a corsage of pink roses; Mrs. Shuter, the bride's mother, a black crepe print dress, with a grey hat, and a corsage of red roses; Mrs. Mendelsohn, the groom's mother, a black crepe dress, with matching accessories, and a corsage of red roses; and the honoree, a grey dress, with matching hat, and a corsage of red roses. There were thirty guests present.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cohen, [illegible] Street, and the late Mr. Bloom; and of Mrs. H. Cohen, of North Hollywood, Calif., and the late Mr. Cohen. Receiving one hundred guests at kiddush at the Synagogue, following the services, Mrs. Cohen wore a black dress, with a printed pattern of pink ladies, which was fashioned with a high neckline, puffed, short sleeves, frilled waistline, and a ballerina skirt; and a pink felt hat, trimmed with pink and black lace, and pink flowers. She was assisted in serving by Mrs. Tillie Teplitzky, of New York, aunt of Morton, who wore a brandy-colored crepe dress, with a light beige maline straw hat; Mrs. Saul Cohen, of North Hollywood, Calif., a brown and green printed dress with a brown hat; Mrs. A. D. Cohen, a navy-blue dress and hat, trimmed with pale blue flowers; and Mrs. R. Rosenberger, a red suit, with a black hat, all aunts of Morton; and Mrs. M. Hyman, in a grey suit, with a grey hat, trimmed with pink flowers; Mrs. H. Kraus, in a black dress, with a green and beige straw hat; and Mrs. Henry Shalinsky, in a black suit, with a black hat, trimmed with pink flowers. For a reception and dinner, with two hundred and fifty guests, the Synagogue hall was decorated with foliage, and the receiving line stood before palms and standards of pastel-shaded stocks, snapdragons, carnations, daffodils, and irises. Mrs. Cohen wore a black Chantilly lace gown, with bows faced in aquamarine-blue taffeta, and designed with gold beading, on the skirt; and a low V-shaped neckline, and bodice lined with matching aquamarine-blue taffeta, and a wide, sweeping skirt, with a slight train. [illegible] and Mrs. I. Bloom, aunts of Morton, the former wearing a powder-blue dinner gown, with beading, and a corsage of pink roses; and the latter, a black dinner-gown, with silver beaded embroidery, and a silk shirt, and corsage of red roses. [illegible] and aunt; Mrs. Tillie Teplitzky, and daughter Shirley, of New York, aunt and cousin; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Solomon, the former being toastmaster; Rabbi Wilfred Shuchat, and Cantor and Mrs. Nathan Mendelson. Mrs. Bloom wore a navy-blue dinner gown, with beaded embroidery; and a corsage of pink carnations; Mrs. Saul Cohen, a black dinner dress, with a pink bodice, and corsage of pink carnations; Mrs. A. D. Cohen, a black dinner-dress, with an off-the-shoulder neckline, trimmed with Victorian lace around the neck and shoulders; and a wide sweep skirt; and a corsage of pink roses; and Mrs. Solomon wore a black dinner-dress, with silver beaded embroidery, and a corsage of pink roses. Presiding at the sweet-table later in the evening, were: Mrs. R. Rosenberger [illegible] or carnations, irises, and daffodils, and centrepieces of pastel-shaded spring flowers with candelabra, one hundred and fifty years old, belonging to the Synagogue. There were varicolored spring flowers on all the tables. Sydney lit the blue and white candles on the birthday cake, which was in the shape of an open Torah, in gold-color, blue, and white, and inscribed. Everyone sang "Happy Birthday" and "For He's A Jolly Good Fellow". Mrs. L. Lavitt and daughter, Miss Barbara [illegible]


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Dr. Harry J. Stern, Rabbi, Sherbrooke Street West, was in Cincinnati, Ohio, for the ceremonies installing Dr. Nelson Glueck, the new president of Hebrew Union College.

Mrs. Maurice Gordon Silcove, Victoria Avenue, returned after a holiday in New York, accompanied by her sister, Miss Rose Magid, who will visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Wechsler, Atwater Avenue, are in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Lewinson, Sherbrooke Street West, are back after spending seven weeks in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Blumer, Cote des Neiges Road, will be in New York for the spring holidays.

Alderman Max Seigler, Glencairn Road, spent several days in Ste. Agathe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wener, Renfrew Road, returned from Nassau.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rothman, Lexington Avenue, are back after spending two and a half weeks in Miami and Palm Beach, Florida.

[illegible], of Detroit, [illegible]

ter, Mrs. Norman H. Friedman, 351 Oliver Avenue.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding of Miss Janet Jacobson to Henry Kwass of Milwaukee, Wis., were: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Siegel, Melvin Kwass, brother of the bridegroom; and Daniel Lewis, all of Milwaukee, who stopped at the Mount Royal Hotel.

Mrs. A. Segal, of Cornwall, Ont., is back, having spent several weeks in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. William Potechin, Victoria Avenue, spent a month in Los Angeles, and San Francisco, Cal.

Miss Suzann F. Cohen, Cote des Neiges Road, spent several days at Hotel Vermont, in Ste. Agathe.

Mrs. T. Levit, of Chicago, Ill., is spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Bernstein, 762 Belmont Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kirshner, Prince Albert Avenue, returned, after spending several weeks in Florida.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding of Miss Natalie Sommer to Monroe Rovins, of Plattsburg, N.Y., were Samuel E. Aronowitz, Dr. and Mrs. Milton Aronowitz, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Aronowitz, and Mr. and Mrs. Myron Strasser, all of Albany, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Van Geun, Peel Street, are spending several week in Florida.

Miss Sheila Barshay, of New York, and her fiance, Dr. Victor C. Goldbloom, of New York, visited the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Alton Goldbloom, Cote des Neiges Road, for several days.

Mrs. I. Sydney Isaacs, Aberdeen Avenue, is in Florida for a holiday.

Mrs. J. Kruger, Summerhill Avenue, is in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rubin, Renfrew Road, are spending a month in Miami, Florida.

Dr. and Mrs. Alton Goldbloom, Cote des Neiges Road, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Goldbloom, of Vancouver, B. C.

Mrs. L. Samuelsohn, Summerhill Avenue, is taking a holiday in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Zahler, de l'Epee Avenue, returned after spending a holiday at Hotel Vermont, in Ste. Agathe.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sacks and son, Jerry, de Vimy Avenue, were at Hotel Vermont, in Ste. Agathe.

Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Cheifitz, Outremont Avenue, spent several days at Ste. Agathe.

[illegible] with return to Montreal on April 10, to remain for two days.

Dr. and Mrs. A. I. Schlesinger and daughter, Nina, St. Catherine Road, were at Hotel Vermont, in Ste. Agathe.

Mr. and Mrs. Saul Cohen, 90 St. Catherine Road, are going to New York for the spring holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Miller, Willowdale Avenue, flew to New York, to spend several days there.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Rosen, Esplanade Avenue, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. I. Simmerman, Wilder Avenue, returned from Los Angeles, Calif., where they visited their son-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. M. Fenster, and Mrs. B. Cement.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gruberman, Waverley Street, had as their guests, his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gellman, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Migicovsky, Van Horne Avenue, are spending two months in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Turgel of London, England, who were visiting their children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turgel, St. Catherine Road, and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Selbst, St. Catherine Road, for two months, sailed for home on the Queen Elizabeth.

Mrs. I. Shaffran, Kent Avenue, and Mrs. Philip Fainer, McEachran Avenue, spent several weeks in New York, and Atlantic City, N.J. Mrs. Fainer will go back to New York next week to meet her husband, who will return from Europe on the Queen Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Berkowitz, 14 Pagnuelo Avenue, are spending a few weeks in Atlantic City, N.J., and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Shapiro, Dollard Avenue, spent a holiday at Hotel Vermont, in Ste. Agathe.

Out-of-town guests here for the wedding of Miss Phyllis Joan Galt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Louis Greenberg, of West Point, Conn., to Seymour Shuchat, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Shuchat, Dollard Avenue, were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Silberstein, of New York; Mrs. B. Lepine, grandmother of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Greenberg, of Norwalk, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Frederick, 595 Bloomfield Avenue, entertained at a dinner, with sixteen guests, in honor of their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. I. Korman, Jeanne Mance Street, who are leaving for an extended trip to Europe.

Mrs. Alex Stroll, Lajoie Avenue, entertained twenty-five guests at an evening party in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. S. Sagen, of San Francisco, Calif., who is visiting here. Mrs. M. Bercovitch, a sister-in-law of the hostess, assisted in serving.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kirsch, Colonial Avenue, were dinner hosts in honor of Miss Sylvia Goldsman and her fiance, Sydney Dagowicz. Mrs. Kirsch wore a printed jersey dress, designed on the [illegible] and the

[illegible] the first birthday of their son, Alvin Leonard, brother of Beverley Brenda, aged six. His grandmothers, Mrs. S. Kaufman, 1271 Beaubien Street, and Mrs. E. Berger, 5414 Casgrain Street, were present; his aunt, Mrs. W. Newman; and his uncle, Leonard Berger; and Mrs. A. Artshor, Mrs. F. Cote, and Miss Maureen Kehoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lutsky, Linton Boulevard, entertained at the Bucharest in honor of the former's father, Lazar Lutsky, Papineau Avenue, who celebrated his fiftieth birthday. The hostess wore a black crepe dress, with gold nail-head trimming, a pink and blue hat, and long pink gloves. Mrs. Lazar Lutsky wore a black two-piece crepe dress, with silver nail-head trimming.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosen, Champagneur Avenue, gave a dinner for the immediate family in celebration of the engagement of their only daughter, Betty, to Harold, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lazanik, St. Urbain Street, whose marriage takes place on September 12, at Chevra Kadisha Synagogue. The table held a centrepiece of mixed flowers, coloured candles and two silver candlesticks on each side, trimmed with streamers of white ribbon.

Mrs. S. Sagen, of San Francisco, Calif., who is visiting here, entertained ten guests at tea at the Ritz Carlton Hotel in honor of Miss Mildred Zwecker, de Bullion Street, fiancee of her brother, Arthur Stroll, who will be married on April 18, at Beth David Synagogue. Mrs. Sagen wore a brown gabardine dress; Mrs. M. Zwecker, mother of the bride-elect, a black crepe; Mrs. J. Strolovitch, mother of the groom-elect, royal-blue; and the honoree, a navy-blue crepe dress. A presentation was made.

Mrs. Al. Saxe, 713 Bloomfield Avenue, entertained at a tea presentation in honor of Miss Sadie Chernoff, Papineau Avenue, fiancee of Samuel Baigel, Hutchison Street, and a bride-elect of March

[illegible] Mrs. S. Stern, [illegible] bride-elect, poured. Miss M. [illegible] man, Esplanade Avenue, and Mrs. N. Dworkin, City Hall Avenue, entertained at a tea presentation in her honor; Mrs. B. Caplan, Clark Street, at a tea presentation at Morocco; and Mrs. B. Bagel, Hutchison Street, and Mrs. A. Greenberg, Hutchison Street, at a tea presentation at Rev. M. Master's

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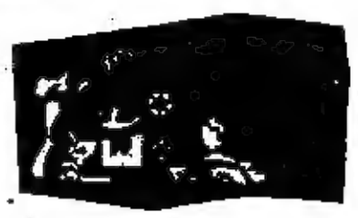

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• HOSPITAL OF HOPE: Elected to the Board of Administration were: I Strulovitch, W. Ship, B. Halbert; as trustees, B. Dalchman, [illegible] M. Shaffer, A. [illegible] as members in the Board, [illegible] Street; Tikvah, at the home of Mrs. H. Stark, 1460 Van Horne Avenue. Unit meeting at 2:30 p.m.: Victory, at 4465 St. Lawrence Boulevard, hostess, Mrs. M. Malamud. Units meeting on Tuesday, at 8:00 p.m.: Chaim Revzen Junior, at the home of Mrs. Y. Polansky, 4465 Laval Avenue; Chaele Small, at the home of Mrs. A. Cramer, 8854 Girouard Avenue; Hershel Stavins, at the home of Mrs. A. Letovsky, 209 Villeneuve Street West; J. Manolson, at the home of Mrs. M. Smith, 5965 Hutchison Street; Mordecai Baker, at the home of Mrs. L. Schwartz, 1511 Ducharme Avenue; Brotman Geyer, at the home of Mrs. M. Dorstenfeld, 4572 St. Urbain Street; Margolick, at the home of Mrs. B. Engel, 6420 Monkland Boulevard. Unit meeting at 2:30 p. m.: Goodwill, at 4465 St. Lawrence Boulevard, hostesses, Mesdames J. Kirshenberg, H. Posen. Units meeting on Wednesday, at 8:00 p.m.: Paige Bookman, at the home of Mrs. J. Jacobson, 17 Rachel Street West; Fraid, at the home of Mrs. R. Starr, 753a Querbes Avenue; I. J. Borrin, at the home of Mrs. L. Silverman, 5683 Esplanade Avenue. Unit meeting on Thursday, at 8:00 p. m.: Chaim Revzen, at the home of Mrs. B. Revzen, 4219 Hutchison Street.

• SHAAR HASHOMAYIM Synagogue, Rabbi Wilfred Shuchat: [illegible] Payne, son of Mr. [illegible] at the annual spring luncheon meeting of the Women's Auxiliary, on Wednesday, April 14; will accord special honour to Mrs. Edward Belonson who is retiring from the presidency after serving for fifteen years. Junior Congregation services had Ronald Cape, David Cohen, Leonard Cohen, Brahm Hyams, Mark Berenvitz, Douglas Goldman, Avrum Bloomstone, Rip Atko, Stephen Bernstein, Marvin Goldsmith, Arthur Freedman, Ralph Kurland, Stephen Bernstein, Marvin Goldsmith, Arthur Freedman, Ralph Kurland, Stephanie Lefcort, Phyllis Schwartz, Milton Lavitt, David Plotkin, taking part. Eleanor Zabitsky, introduced Martin Kleinfeld, executive secretary of the Jewish Youth Council, who spoke on the United Palestine Appeal campaign.

• HADASSAH Chapters meeting Monday, March 22, at 1.30 p.m., are: Doba Shiller, at the home of Mrs. R. Brotman, 623 Bloomfield Avenue; Herman Abramowitz, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue, with Mrs. S. Barsa, president, presiding. Chapters meeting Monday, at 2.30, are: Adath Israel, bridge and mah jong, at Adath Israel Synagogue, Mrs. W. Ordower, in charge; Deborah, at the home of Mrs. J. Nalmer, 5639 Canterbury Avenue, with Rabbi I. B. Rose as guest speaker; Hanna Bifka Central, at the home of Mrs. B. Bercovitch, 5100 Lacombe Avenue; Kadimah, at the home of Mrs. M. Levy, 890 Aberdeen Avenue; Migdol, at the home of Mrs. S. Korman, 5576 Woodbury Avenue; Miriam Brainin Ortenberg, at the home of Mrs. E. Adelson, 5680 Hutchison Street; Mount Scopus, at the home of Mrs. M. Rothman, 5244 Mountain Sights Avenue; Nair Tamid, Purim tea, at the home of Mrs. B. Rochwerg, 4576 Jean Brillant Avenue; North End, at the home of Mrs. J. Benditsky, 4952 Jean Brillant Avenue; Queen Esther, at the home of Mrs. A. Yancovitch, 5574 Woodbury Avenue; Rachel Levinson, Purim meeting, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue, with Mrs. J. Ginsberg and Mrs. O. Schwartz, joint hostesses; Ruth, at the home of Mrs. I. Caplan, 4909 Dormal Avenue; Shaare Zion, at the Synagogue, with Mrs. P. Braunstein as hostess; Theodor Herzl, at the home of Mrs. J. Shubert, 4800 Cote des Neiges Road; Young Ladies Zionist, at the home of Mrs. H. C. Gittleson, 1125 Lajoie Avenue. Chapters meeting Monday, at 8.30, are: Bialik, at the home of Mrs. M. Hornstein, 219 St. Joseph Boulevard West; Ethel Epstein Ein, at the home of Mrs. A. Charness, 4401 Coolbrook Avenue; Shaindel Gordon, at the home of Mrs. I. Goldstein, 6016 Park Avenue; Shoshana, at the home of Mrs. M. Lazarick, 4895 St. Urbain Street; Syra Miriam Long Spears, at the home of Mrs. H. Ram, 5462 Park Avenue. Chapters meeting Tuesday, at 8.30, are: Eta Cohen, at the home of Mrs. A. Loshinsky, 4825 Colonial Avenue; Judith, at the home of Mrs. S. Goldberg, 4556 Esplanade Avenue; Nathan Dlusy, at the home of Mrs. M. Tunis, 3788 Kent Avenue. Chapters meeting Wednesday, at 8.30, are: Hatikvah, at the home of Mrs. H. Stolovitsky, 4955 St. Catherine Road; Negev, at the home of Mrs. I. Katz, 6004 Waverley Street. Chapter meeting Monday, at 12.30, is: Shaar Hashomayim, luncheon, at the home of Mrs. A. Stilman, 261 St. Catherine Road; reading from Sholem Aleichem by Dr. A. Stilman; piano selections, Miss Rosalie Stilman. Mrs. Jeannette Davidoff, of South Africa, will address all Junior Chapters at a tea on Sunday, March 21, at the Berkeley Hotel, at 3.00 p.m., Miss Estelle Steinberg, president of Junior Hadassah, presiding. At a luncheon of Miriam Brainin Ortenberg Chapter, at the home of Mrs. N. Dermer, 616 McEachran Avenue, $450 was raised for Youth Aliyah. Chapter meeting Sunday, at 6.30, is: Esther Rachel Navarich, at a Purim dinner, at 1447 Bleury Street, with D. Solomon as guest speaker. Mrs. Anna Pincusoff will sing Jewish folk songs. Mrs. A. Bell, president, is in charge.

• JEWISH PUBLIC LIBRARY will hold its annual Library Day on Sunday, March 21. The movie, "Yiddi Mits Fiddi", will be shown at 2.00 and 4.00 p.m. at the Jewish People's School. Guest speakers [illegible] the Library, in the evening, a concert will present: Folk's Choir, direction of J. Berljavsky, violinist; Mandolin Symphony Orchestra, leadership of Walter Sheper; Samuel Levitan, pianist and conductor, will play the piano; Solomon Cohen, who arrived from England, will recite from Jewish classics; guest speaker, poet and writer, Melech Ravitch; S. Abramson and Mr. Danielack presiding.

• MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS Society Of Canada, Dr. C. H. Russel Unit, will hold their quarterly meeting on Monday, March 22, at 8.30 p.m., in Salon "D", Mount Royal Hotel. John J. Gotlieb will preside. Dr. Jean Saucier will speak. Reports. Applications for membership, will be read. Lenny Rubin and his orchestra will entertain. Everyone welcome. Mrs. E. G. Opal is president.

• DALSE WOMEN'S Welfare Club money shower is on Tuesday, March 23, at 8.30 p.m., at Bnai Jacob Synagogue. Mrs. Charles Lassner is convener, assisted by Mesdames L. Rabinovitch, M. Steinberg, B. Drohen, L. Goldstein, Mrs. J. Pottel is president.

• WOMEN'S SOCIAL SERVICE Organization bazaar and food sale baking contest awarded first prize to Mrs. S. Oelbaum, 731 Rockland Avenue, for a sponge birthday cake, with pink frosting, and decorated with fresh roses; Mrs. A. T. Seidman, 1360 Barnard Avenue West, second prize, for chocolate cake; Mrs. Sally Gross, 219 St. Joseph Boulevard West, first prize for cookies, with kichel; Mrs. D. Costom, 5867 Park Avenue, second prize, for apricot squares. Mrs. H. Rosenbaum and Mrs. A. S. Koenig were conveners. Beth Manley, household advisor of Radio Station CKVL, was the judge. Annual donor luncheon, at the Normandie Roof, Mount Royal Hotel, is on Tuesday, May 4; call Mrs. S. M. Atcovitch, convener, CR. 2416, for pick-up of dime booklets.

• MIZRACHI WOMEN: Dvora Hoffman Chapter met at the home of Mrs. L. Ibbes, 2105 Van Horne Avenue; and Esther Scharf, at the home of Mrs. B. Richler, 5346 Victoria Avenue, social; both on Monday evening, March 22; Dvora Brucha Schwartzben, at the home of Mrs. M. Friedman, 4612 Hutchison Street, Tuesday evening; Dalfen, at the home of Mrs. A. Meyerson, 140 Laurier Avenue West, on Wednesday evening; Rishonot Chapter of Junior Mizrachi meets at the home of Miss Ruth Wreschner, 5554 Snowdon Avenue, Tuesday, at 8.15.

• CALANTHE TEMPLE Number One Pythian Sisters: Purim party, on Saturday evening, March 27, at 5711 Park Avenue, will be for members and their husbands. Mrs. A. Dresben and Mrs. I. Prazoff are in charge. Entertainment; dancing; refreshments. Last date for reservations is March 20.

• EZRA LADIES SOCIETY Purim, on party, on Thursday, March 25, at 8 p.m., at Bnai Jacob Synagogue, will be convened by Mesdames H. Sacks, M. Izenwasser, Sam. Kushner, in honor of children who recently arrived Europe. Mrs. Sarah Lefcort is president.

• TEMPLE EMANU-EL, Dr. Harry J. Stern, Rabbi: Services, March 19, at 8:15. Lecture: "Purim 1948". Temple Young Married will hold an Onag Shebbat and kiddush reception. Committee: Mrs. and Mrs. I. Gertsman, Mr. and Mrs. G. Rauch, Mr. and Mrs. L. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. A. Zion, Mr. and Mrs. B. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. A. Carsley. Purim Carnival of the Religious School is on Sunday, March 21, at 2.45. Jack Carrick; Cecile Reinhartz, Ruth Margo, Kenneth Asch, Eva Stearns, David Mortimer, Cyril Carrick, Susie Beck; Y. Vinsberg will take part. Brotherhood father, son and daughter Purim banquet is on Wednesday, March 24, at 6.30. Committee: Garner Bornstein, Nathan Bing, Hershell Lewis, Francis Beck, Jack Freedman.

• Y. M. H. A. annual spring exhibition of the Jewish Artists [illegible] Jack Gill, Leon Bronstein, Ghitta Caiserman, Trudy M. Cipes, Ludwig Flancow, A. Goldberg, Esther Goldenberg, Anne Greenstein, Samuel Kirshner, Norman Leibovitch, Anne Levine, Mrs. Hattie Lightstone, I. Malamud, B. Malchi, B. Mayman, Ruth Miller, Abe Pinchuk, Alfred Pinsky, Joseph Presament, M. Reinblatt, Meyer Ryshpan, Joseph Sher, Betty Sutherland. This exhibit will be on view from March 28 to April 10, daily from 2 to 5 and 7 to 10 p. m., except for Friday night, all day Saturday, and Sunday night. Public invited. Senior Club Councils of the Y. M. and Y. W.-H. A. are giving a Queen Esther dance on Sunday, March 21, at 8.30 p. m., at the Y. W. H. A., sponsored by the Amourettes. Miss Celia Cohen, president, and Miss Miriam Peters, social chairman; and the Davis Memorial Club, Sydney Wald, president; and Arnold Gilbert, social chairman. Bill Kugler and his orchestra will play. Mrs. Victor Michaels, president, will crown the young lady chosen as Queen Esther of the Y. W. H. A.

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## SHAFFER-SOLOMON

The marriage of Pearl, daughter of Mrs. Rose Solomon, 5460 Park Avenue, to Jack, son of Mrs. L. Shaffer, 4964 Clark Street, took place at Chevra Kadisha Synagogue on December 7, at half-past six o'clock, Rabbi C. Denburg officiating, assisted by Rabbi A. Kenner and Cantor A. Matts. The bride wore a white satin gown designed with basket drapes at hipline, round neckline, studded with crystal beads; long, semi-Dolman, pointed sleeves; and tightly fitted bodice, with full skirt slit at bottom front, and studded with crystal beads. Her shoulder-length scalloped veil was caught by a crown of white crystal beads, and she carried a bouquet of Calla lilies. Mrs. George Nadler, matron of honour, wore a peach-coloured gown and headdress of silver sequins with blue scalloped veil. She carried a bouquet of blue carnations with a peach-colored satin bow. Gita Bernstein, flower girl, wore a blue dress, trimmed with pink, and a matching blue bonnet, and carried a bouquet of forget-me-nots. Jack Solomon, brother of the bride, was best man. Sol. Aaron, and Frank Shaffer, brothers of the groom; Charles Eilesen, Moe Garfinkle, Joseph Wener, George Nadler, and William Sklar were ushers. Howard Bernie Shaffer, nephew of the groom, was page-boy and ring-bearer, in full dress. The synagogue was decorated with candelabra, ferns, and standards, and "Because" was sung. For the reception at Chevra Kadisha Synagogue, the bride was decorated with ferns [illegible] feather hat, with gold [illegible] trimming, and gold shoes; and a corsage of yellow roses. Mrs. Shaffer, mother of the groom, wore a black crepe gown, trimmed with lace top; a black felt hat, with feathers, and a corsage of red roses. The bride and groom spent their honeymoon in New York, the former wearing a going-away costume of a black and white miniature shepherd's plaid dressmaker suit, with black Persian lamb coat, and white accessories.

## BEER-SHULMAN

The marriage of Molly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Shulman, Cuthbert Street, to Manuel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Beer, City Hall Avenue, took place at the Bucharest, on January 24, at half-past six o'clock, Rabbi S. H. Herschorn officiating, assisted by Cantor F. Schlepak. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. She wore a white brocaded satin gown designed with a sweetheart neckline, long pointed sleeves, an all-around peplum coming to a fish-tail back; and skirt with a slight train inset with lace. Her eight-yard-long veil of tulle illusion was caught to a coronet of seed pearl and other beads, and she carried white roses. Her train was held by Larry Feather, a cousin of the bride. Miss Sarah Rosen, maid of honour, wore a rose-colored moire gown, designed with a sweetheart neckline, cap sleeves, and a bustle back. She wore wine-colored long gloves and a matching velvet headdress, trimmed with flowers; and carried a Colonial bouquet of pink carnations and wine-coloured streamers. The bridesmaids, Misses Rita Black, Nina Shapiro, Nellie Libetug, Rita Blitt, Hannah Wiseblatt, and Hilda Lerner, and junior bridesmaids, Julia Holtzman and Rose Beer, sister of the groom, wore gowns of pink and blue with matching gathered net headdresses, and carried Colonial bouquets of carnations, with pink and blue streamers. Isha Beer, brother of the groom, was best man. Saul Edwin Feather, cousin of the bride, was ring-bearer and carried a white satin cushion. The "Wedding March" was played and "Because" was sung. At the reception there were seasonal flowers and a wedding cake. Mrs. Shulman, mother of the bride, wore a cap-sleeved fuchsia-colored crepe dinner gown, with silver braided trimming embroidered along the sweetheart neckline, peplum, and slit skirt; long grey gloves, and a matching hat of fuchsia and grey. Her corsage was of Tea roses with silver ribbon and she had a rhinestone choker and earrings. Mrs. Beer, mother of the groom, wore a black crepe gown, trimmed with gold and black sequins, a fuchsia-shaded ostrich feather hat, and matching gloves. Her corsage was of American Beauty roses. Mrs. Rose Shulman, grandmother of the bride, wore an aquamarine-blue dinner gown, pink feathered hat and matching gloves, and a corsage of pink roses. The bride and groom spent their wedding trip in Lake Placid, N.Y., and in New York, the bride travelling in a green wool ballerina suit under a mouton lamb coat, with matching accessories, and a corsage of green orchids. Out-of-town guests were: Mrs. Rose Shulman, Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Feather and sons, Larry and Saul Edwin; Lou. Shulman, of Bronx, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Heller, of Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Miterman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gesoff, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Kaplan, of Philadelphia, Pa.; and Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Merrick and sons, [illegible] Paul, of Welland, Ont.

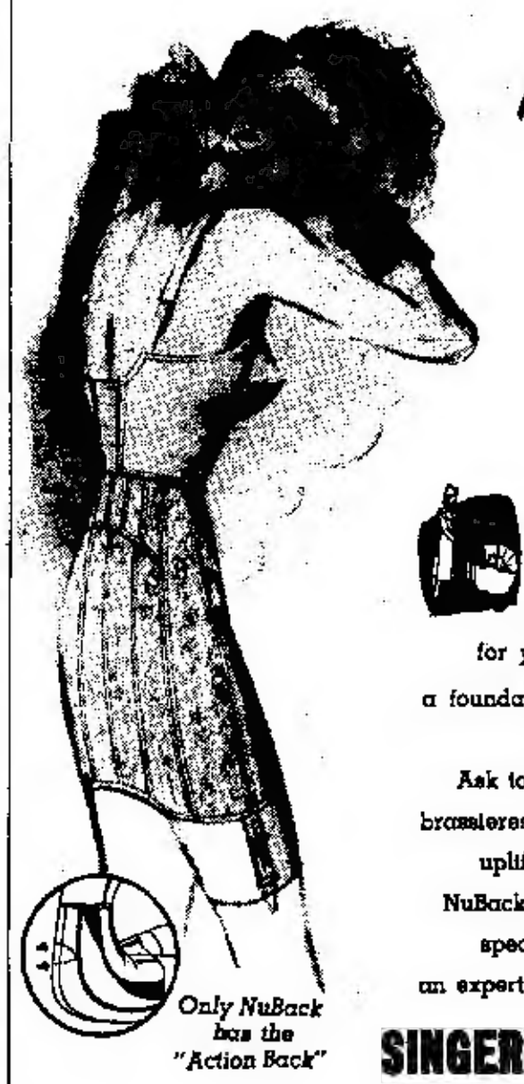
Mr. and Mrs. H. Hershorn, 3715 Esplanade Avenue, announce the marriage of their daughter, Ida Windle, to Hyman Hershorn, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Hershorn, 375 Villeneuve Street, which took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Lonn, 4725 Dorval Avenue, sister and brother-in-law of the bride, on February 28, at half-past seven o'clock, Rabbi C. N. Denburg officiating. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. Her sister, Miss Anita Harscovitch, acted as maid of honour, and Tommy Cohen was best man. The bride and groom spent their honeymoon in New York and are now residing in Montreal.

## CRYSTAL-KANDEL

The marriage of Miss Vivienne Kandel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Kandel, 11205 Willowmere Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio, formerly of Montreal, to Samuel Crystal, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Crystal, 872 Paxton Road, Cleveland, took place at the Tetiever Synagogue, on Sunday, January 25, at seven o'clock, with Rev. Ellner officiating. Mrs. Saul Kandel, sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor and Miss Betty Lebvitz, niece of the groom, and Miss Shirley Marcovitz, were bridesmaids. Jack Crystal, brother of the groom, was best man, and ushers were J. Beck, nephew of the groom, and G. Levine. Mrs. S. B. Cornsweet sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly." The bridal couple returned from a trip to Detroit, Mich., and are now residing at 872 Paxton Road. Mrs. R. Wexler, aunt of the bride, 2065 Maplewood Avenue, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldheimer and family, of Painesville, Ohio; and Miss Lenore Berrick, of Mansfield, Ohio, were wedding guests.

## GREENAPPLE-ANKER

The marriage of Minnie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Anker, 4617 Park Avenue, to Bernard Greenapple, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Greenapple, 4603 Esplanade Avenue, took place on Thursday, January 1, at half-past six o'clock, at Chevra Kadisha Synagogue, Rabbi Chaim Denburg officiating, assisted by Cantor A. Matts. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. She wore a white satin gown with an off-the-shoulder neckline trimmed with orange blossoms, with nylon insert, long pointed sleeves, tight-fitting bodice, and a full skirt with bustle ending in a long train. Her full-length veil of tulle illusion was held to a crown of orange blossoms, and she carried a sheaf bouquet of Calla lilies, with a large white satin bow. Mrs. Jack Greenapple, of New York, attended the bride as matron of honour, wearing a burnt-orange-colored gown, embroidered in gold beads and orange-colored sequins, and carried a sheaf bouquet of yellow Boston roses, tied with a large gold-coloured bow. Jack Greenapple, of New York, brother of the groom, attended him as best man, and the ushers were: Philip Anker, brother of the bride; Edward Ludmir, Irving Kletsky, brother-in-law of the bride; Boris Katzman, Sydney Shapiro, Mac Bernstein, and Melvin Davis and Larry Greenapple, nephews of the groom. The synagogue was decorated with flowers and ferns and the aisle with ribbons and candelabra. During the ceremony, "O, Promise Me" was sung. The bride's mother, Mrs. Anker, received, wearing an electric-blue gown, with matching tulle hat, and a corsage of pink roses. Mrs. Greenapple, mother of the groom, was in a turquoise-blue gown, with feather hat to match, and a corsage of pink roses. The bride and groom left on a wedding trip to Ste. Agathe, the former wearing a cocoa-colored suit, with matching hat, mouton fur coat, and brown accessories. They will reside in Brooklyn, N. Y. Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Greenapple and son and daughter, Larry and Florrie; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Davis, of Brooklyn, N.Y.; and Irving Kletsky, of Hollywood, Calif.



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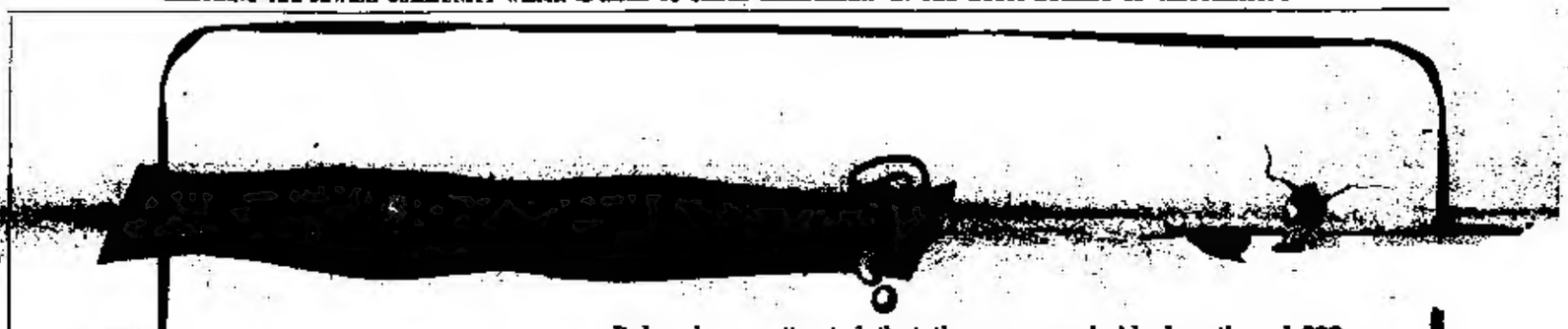
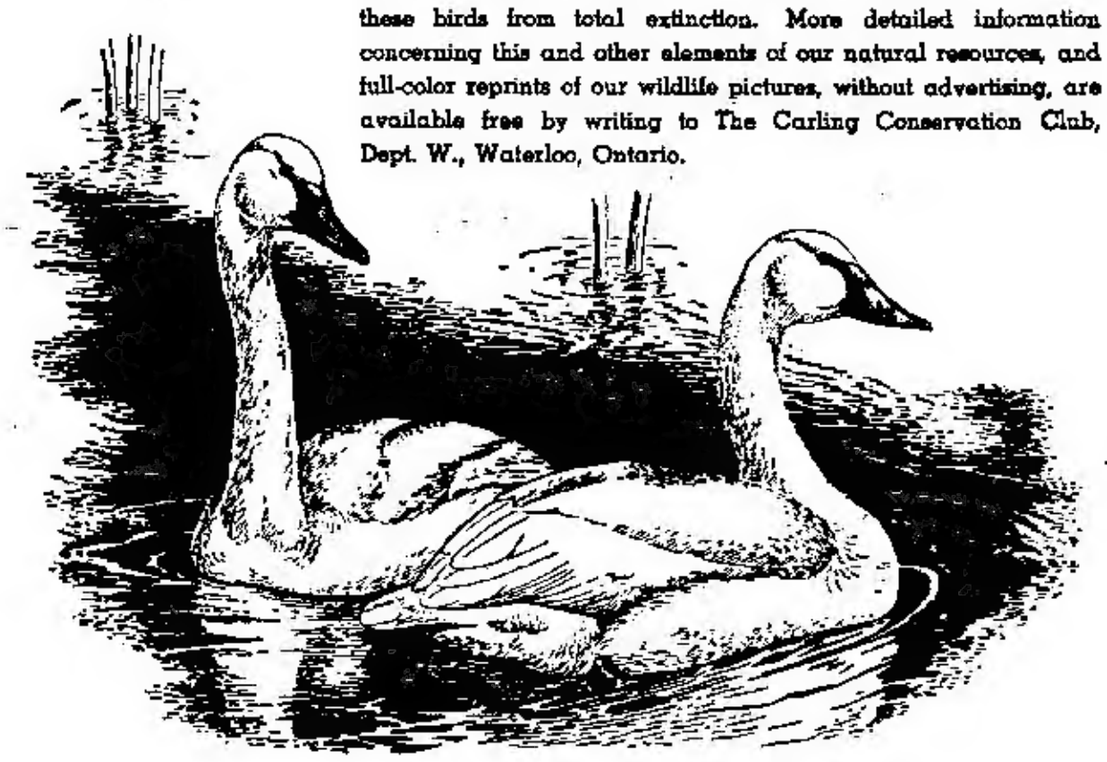


It has been estimated that there are probably less than 1,000 Trumpeter Swans in the whole of North America. Every remaining pair of these beautiful birds is vitally important to the continued existence of the species, and the protective legislation which has been enacted on their behalf must be carefully observed in order to save these birds from total extinction. More detailed information concerning this and other elements of our natural resources, and full-color reprints of our wildlife pictures, without advertising, are available free by writing to The Carling Conservation Club, Dept. W., Waterloo, Ontario.



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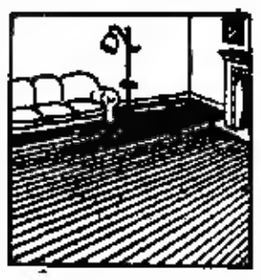
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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Berenbaum (nee Shirley Brainin), Dornal Avenue, a daughter, Linda Gail, sister of Stephen Charles, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 23; granddaughter of Mrs. I. Brainin, Dornal Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Berenbaum, Wiseman Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Abe Elias (nee Claire Breitman), Ridgevale Avenue, a daughter, Paula, sister of Gerald and Brenda, on February 17, at the Royal Victoria Hospital; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Breitman, Hutchison Street; and of Mrs. G. Elias, Jeanne Mance Street, and the late Mr. Elias.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Maury Struzer (nee Doris Katz), Van Horne Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack A. Shacter (nee Tamara Umanski), Grand Boulevard, a daughter, Erica Joy, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, on March 1; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Umanski, Sherbrooke Street West; and of Mrs. A. Shacter, Marlowe Avenue; great-granddaughter of Mrs. S. Rosengarten, Victoria Avenue; and of Mrs. S. Umanski, of Leningrad, Russia.

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DATED at Montreal, Province of Quebec, the 20th day of February, 1948.

JOS. A. BUDYK,
Advocate,
60 St. James Street West,
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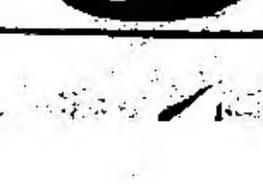
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# David Pinski, A Founder Of Modern Yiddish Literature

Along with the great classic writers, Mendele, Sholem Aleichem, and Peretz — Pinski belongs to the founders of modern Yiddish literature. We have but to mention a few of the new realms which he opened for those who followed him later, to realize how great were his contributions: David Pinski may be considered the father of the proletarian Yiddish story; he introduced naturalism in modern Yiddish literature; he was also the first modern author who had recourse to the Messianic idea *(Moshichism)* as a literary theme. Abstract symbolism found its way in his dramas as early as in the classic vein and having universal significance.

When David Pinski emerged in Yiddish literature, during its period of development in eastern Europe, the materials for proletarian themes had not yet revealed themselves; a labor movement in terms of our modern concepts and experiences did not exist; the sharp contrast between capital and labor was not yet well-defined, for modern industry was still in its undeveloped stage and an open rift between the two had not yet come into being. The Jewish *luftmensch*, the tragic *Menachem-Mendl*, underwent a complete transformation as he was rapidly proletarianized into a productive worker; and with it all came the sufferings, horrors and despairs which accompanied the future representative of his emerging working class in his adjustment to his new social position.

To perceive these changes involved more than a mere social protest of a general nature. Social protest has been a very old and favorite motif in Yiddish literature, with a tradition dating back as far as the close of the sixteenth century and extending through the Haskalah, the enlightenment movement of the nineteenth century. David Pinski not only perceived the new social order and the inevitable conflicts and new distributions; he perceived all the possible consequences of an industrial and urban turmoil. His ability to discern and record that state of social change stems from his keen power of observation and his dynamic qualities as a writer.

David Pinski's place as the pioneer of the proletarian motif in Yiddish literature must not be challenged notwithstanding the indisputable fact that years before his appearance proletarian Yiddish literature flourished in England and in the United States in the works of Morris Winchevsky, Morris Rosenfeld, David Edelstadt, Yosef Bovshover, Z. Libin, Leon Kobrin, and a host of poets who wrote in the eighties and nineties of the last century. For Yiddish literature in Russia and in the aforementioned Anglo-Saxon countries developed independent of each other; they emerged in accordance with the specific conditions governing the lives of the Jewish workers in their respective countries.

Pinski's proletarian stories are presented in a realistic manner; yet wherever there are climactic moments of great impact, this uncompromising realist turns naturalist, giving vent to relentless portraiture and detailed descriptions. It is clearly evident that the author justifies his powerful naturalistic strokes as being psychologically correct, for it is with their strength that he is able to portray the inner conflicts of his characters. Thus we note that his proletarianism went hand in hand with naturalism and with psychologism.

The pogroms of Kishinev brought a new note into the creative endeavors of David Pinski. His famous drama, *Die Familie Tzvie*, is not to be regarded as a pogrom-drama, yet it definitely represents the author's serious concern with the problem of the "dying beauty" of his people (in the person of Moishe, the old idealist) and with the abysmal question of the Jewish tragedy. This deep concern led him of his people interfused with that of humanity.

David Pinski's use of symbolism may be traced back to those of his early proletarian writings which were construed upon psychological analysis. There he seemed to be less given to registering the conflict ensuing between growing capitalism and the Jewish working masses, than to describing the torments of the creative personality in the clutches of the new environment. The individual contending with adverse conditions imposed upon him by circumstances became a psychological problem to the author, and therefore, *from* this point of vantage he journeyed further into the spiritual realm of symbolism.

His proletarian stories and his dramatic works written before *Gabri Un Dis Froyen (Gabri and the Women)* in 1908, are vivid portrayals of folk-life; they are graphic and lifelike. Yet his later symbolism is already to be felt in these works. *Airik Shefti*, representing the conflicts of a creative personality as he struggles against social injustice; *Familie Tzvie*, depicting the tragedy of Jewish tradition in its wane; and *Der Oitzer (The Treasure)* describing a definite mode of folk-life, in a satiric vein, — are clearly marked by a degree of symbolism. His abstract symbolism, as has already been noted, is clearly evident in his *Gabri Un Die Froyen;* it attains a degree of austerity in his *Bergenshtaiger (Mountain Climber).*

David Pinski's historical dramas are the results of another journey into the realm of symbolism; realities which had existed in the remote past and had been surrounded by a definite mode of life offered him great scope, an amplitude of visions and dreams, of resolute ideas and far-projecting symbols. In this wise, by delving further into the realm of symbolism, the author whose vibrant colors and full tones had at one time been the accompaniment of naturalism now began to recognize heroes of the historic past as symbols. Thus the former naturalist had turned to symbolism, and symbolism brought him closer to classicism (as, for example, *Yoichonon Koiken Godi* and *Bruriah).* There is an element of tragic fatalism in his classicism, even as there is in the Greek tragedy. His *Alexander un Diogenes*, a work of major significance, embodies these elements. And all of David Pinski's historical works, which are many in number, have been conceived in the classic spirit.

During the latest period of his writing intense realism is once again manifest. His latest novels, dramas and satires, especially his *Der Bal Shem Tov un der Gazlen (The Baal-Shem Tov and the Robber)* and his most recent book of stories "Er Lebt. . . . " (involving the idea of Kidush Hashem — (sanctification) — and describing the tragedy of the Jews under the Nazis) have left classicism and symbolism behind. Once again there is an atmosphere of well-defined realism; the characters and places have been drawn by a disciplined artist who has penetrated the realms of psychological analysis and symbolic visions. He has left abstractions behind and rediscovered, on a higher plane, the basic truths of real life.

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# West Coast School Set Up

The Jewish Theological Seminary of America, at Broadway and 122nd Street, New York, has established a School of Jewish Education in Los Angeles as the first unit in a projected West Coast University of Judaism, it was announced by Dr. Louis Finkelstein, the president of the seminary.

The faculty of the Los Angeles school will include during the current semester Prof. Mordecai M. Kaplan of the seminary's Rabbinical School and Prof. Zevi Scharfstein of its Teachers Institute. The former will begin a ten-week series of lectures in April and the latter has already begun to give a number of graduate and undergraduate courses at the school.

"Under present conditions, West Coast Jewry must depend upon Eastern institutions of learning to prepare their young people for the rabbinate, for Jewish teaching posts and for other phases of Jewish communal leadership," Dr. Finkelstein said. "With the establishment of this school the West Coast will have an institution of higher Jewish learning which will be able to offer educational training of the highest caliber in all fields."

# Yonah Buys A Donkey

*By Peter Menaase*

Yonah the Yemenite was a porter in the Holy Land and opinions as to his age varied. His wife, for instance, maintained that he was not over forty by so much as a day, basing the assertion on the fact that he had married her very young and time never seemed to pass. His eldest son, who had spent a few weeks in school and could therefore multiply any given figure by 10, calculated his father's age painstakingly and arrived at 50, 60, 70 80—it all depended upon the given figure. Yonah's little daughter, ninth member of his family, simply pulled at her father's beard and said that he must be a very old man, at least as old as Grandfather. Controversy nearly reaching a dangerous climax, the question was very wisely left open.

On his fifty-first birthday — Yonah's own guess — Yonah had saved up enough money to afford a donkey, a helpmate he'd achingly longed for since the days when he'd first started out with his little cart.

So, on a bright and sunny morning, he ambled over to Shmuel's yard, where he knew he would find his heart's desire.

Shmuel was sitting in front of his shack mending a saddle, and when he perceived Yonah he rose and bowed.

"Greetings," he beamed.

"I have come to buy one of your four donkeys," Yonah said importantly, coming to the point at once. He knew that this was not playing the game: the health and well-being of Shmuel's family had to be enquired after first. But this being the first chance in his life to call on Shmuel as a client, he felt that traditional formalities could be dispensed with for once.

Shmuel, easily adapting himself to the situation, smiled broadly.

"Very well," he said, nodding lightly, "let us go and inspect the animals." He led the way into a stable adjoining his own living room.

A donkey brayed. "This is Methuselah," said Shmuel, pointing toward a young and stockily-built animal. "He is so old that he has become quite useless."

Yonah smiled knowingly.

"This," continued Shmuel, nodding in the direction of a mule in another corner, "is Rivka the Lady, and, being a female, she would hardly do." He winked meaningly. "Of course you know how troublesome females are in the habit of becoming." Yonah nodded, remembering his wife and seven children.

"Now the third one over there," said Shmuel, indicating a young, spright animal, "is dangerously ill. Even the veterinarian whom I thought of calling in said he saw no point in looking it over." He pointed to a white, small donkey on the right, standing there with brooding eyes and drooping ears. "I recommend that one over there," he declared dramatically. "I have never seen a donkey like that in all my life."

"Neither have I," said Yonah.

Shmuel blinked. His friend's retort was a bit unexpected. But he quickly recovered his wits and widening his eyes, he exclaimed: "But, my dear neighbour, my beloved friend, this is the best bargain you can hope for! I will sell you this donkey for a mere ten pounds."

"I don't like the sight of him very much," said Yonah doubtfully. "He looks old."

"Old!" cried Shmuel, aghast. "What is the life-span of a donkey anyway?"

"I don't know that," admitted Yonah.

"There you are then. Besides, have you noticed his colour?"

"Yes, white."

"And have you forgotten," said Shmuel reprovingly, "that the Messiah is expected to arrive riding on a white donkey? For all you know, this might be the chosen one."

Yonah blinked his eyes rapidly. "Really! Is that possible?"

"Considering that it is high time for the Messiah to appear," said Shmuel, "I think it is not only possible, but very probable."

Yonah scratched his nose. "But he looks so frail," he complained.

"Exactly," smiled Shmuel. "As you know, the Messiah will never choose an overfed, capitalistic animal."

Yonah swallowed. "Still," he said faintly, "the donkey will have to work for me until the Messiah comes."

"That he will!" Shmuel assured him heartily. "Also," he added as an idea struck him, "he does not require so much food."

"Ah!" Yonah's eyes brightened perceptibly. "That is a great advantage . . . if true." He glanced at the donkey wonderingly.

"He has," said Shmuel, "been living here three days without food."

Which, of course, clinched the matter.

As he walked home, pulling the donkey after him, Yonah hummed a little melody to himself; and, on his arrival, immediately presented the donkey to the family for inspection. Instantly there arose a fierce controversy over the donkey's age, not unlike that over Yonah's, and Yonah's eldest went so far as to try and inspect the animal's teeth with the hope of fixing its age accurately; but the donkey snorted dangerously and the boy jumped for safety. Yonah pointed out: "If he has no teeth he will have to feed on water only." This satisfied everybody.

On the following morning Yonah, his cart, and the donkey set out in search for work, and his services were immediately engaged by a man who wanted two tables and four chairs transported. This was now within Yonah's power and he quickly and dexterously loaded the furniture onto his cart; then added his own weight on top, smacked his lips, and called upon the donkey to do his share. That worthy, unable to shake himself free of inherent habits, succeeded so far as to raise one of his forelegs; but then, old age and four days off-diet getting the better of him, he crashed down, [illegible] all 8 were transported, to rise again. Yonah [illegible] all his oaths, cried, wailed, pleaded, cursed, prayed; but the sneering lips never moved. Finally Yonah went home.

"Probably," he consoled himself at length, "the Messiah has not yet deemed it fit to arrive." And, remembering Shmuel, he thought how right the Messiah must be.

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Aronoff (nee Anne Krasnitz (Krassler), Van Horne Avenue, a son, Michael Avrum, on February 18, at the Jewish General Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. Krasnitz, Clark Street; and Mr. and Mrs. L. Aronoff, Jeanne Mance Street. Godparents are Mrs. S. Rudinsky, City Hall Avenue; and Jack Aronoff, Jeanne Mance Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Resnick (nee Fannie Schwartz), Querbes Avenue, a daughter, Geraldine, sister of Thelma, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 7; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schwartz; and of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Resnick, all of Poland.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Shernofsky (nee Edith Rosenberg), St. Catherine Road, a daughter, Sari Paula, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 12; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rosenberg, Decarie Boulevard; and of Mr. and Mrs. M. Shernofsky, Davaar Avenue; great-granddaughter of N. Fickler, Decarie Boulevard.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. S. Epstein (nee Dinah Vool), of Chicago, Ill., a son, at the Chicago Lying-In Hospital, on February 16. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Jewish General Hospital, on February 24. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. I. Caplan, Dollard Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. N. Engel, Grosvenor Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Justits (nee Ernestine Reider), Van Horne Avenue, a son, Siegfried Peter, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 20; grandson of Mrs. R. Reider, Van Horne Avenue, and the late I. Reider; and of Mrs. R. Justits, Van Horne Avenue, and the late S. Justits. Godparents are Mrs. D. Margulis, of Toronto, Ont.; and Samuel Reider, of New York.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. David Bruser (nee Freda Belkin, formerly of Montreal), of Oakland, Calif., a daughter, Madeline, sister of Lawrence, on March 5, at the Oakland Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Simon Belkin, Maplewood Avenue, and Mrs. and Mrs. M. Bruser, of San Leandro, Calif.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Hershenfield (nee Lilly Green), Clark Street, a son, Kenneth Lorne, brother of Sheila and Earl Melvyn, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 22; grandson of Mrs. J. Aronovitch, Clark Street, and the late Mr. and Mrs. K. Hershenfield, of Poland. Godparents are Mrs. L. Aronovitch, de Bullion Street; and G. Green, Colonial Avenue. J. Aronovitch, Clark Street, held the baby during the ceremony.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bazar (nee Beatrice Millman), Clarke Avenue, a son, Ronald Mark, brother of Leonard, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, on January 30; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. Millman, Western Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. S. Bazar, Melrose Avenue; great-grandson of S. Getz, St. Lawrence Boulevard. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. Max Bailey, Mountain Sights Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Stein (nee Ann Cohen), Victoria Avenue, a daughter, Linda, sister of Judith Ruth, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 15; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Cohen, Dunmore Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stein, Mount Royal Avenue West; great-granddaughter of H. Cohen, Pinedale Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Sol Cohen (nee Leah Farber), Sherbrooke Street West, a son, Jerry, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 27.

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Filler (nee Sophie Simon, formerly of Toronto, Ont.), McEachran Avenue, a daughter, Pearl, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 25; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Simon, of Toronto, Ont.; and of Mrs. S. Filler, Esplanade Avenue, and the late S. Filler.

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# *Social Notes — Montreal*

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis G. Ptack, 5359 Waverley Street, celebrated the bar-mitzvah of their son, Herbert, who was called to the Reading of the Law at Chevra Tilem Synagogue. At a kiddush at the home, with thirty guests, Mrs. Ptack wore a printed black crepe dress; and was assisted in serving by her mother, Mrs. M. Wechselblatt, 353 Fairmount Avenue West, in a grey crepe dress; her sister, Mrs. I. Zollinger, of Bronx, N.Y., in a printed dress, on a dark background; and her sister-in-law, Mrs. M. Wechselblatt, of Newburgh, N.Y., in a rust-shaded crepe dress. At Beth David Synagogue, Mr. and Mrs. Ptack received one hundred and eighty guests. The background was composed of standards of palms, spring flowers, and carnations. Mrs. Ptack wore an aquamarine-blue lame gown, designed with a heart-shaped neckline and short sleeves; with long, matching lame gloves; a rhinestone necklace, silver accessories, and a silver beaded bag. Her daughter, Dolly, aged eight, wore a long pink chiffon dress, with a bouquet of sweet peas, tied with pink and blue ribbon streamers. Herbert is the grandson also of Mr. and Mrs. B. Ptack, 5142 Clark Street. Mrs. Ptack wore a midnight-blue crepe gown, with silver beading; and Mrs. Wechselblatt, his other grandmother, wore a grey chiffon and crepe gown, with silver beading. In the bar-mitzvah procession, Dolly carried the talith; and Herbert Wechselblatt, of Bronx, N.Y., and Conrad Wechselblatt, of Newburgh, N.Y., cousins of Herbert, carried Canadian and Zionist flags. Cantor A. Rosemarin and a choir of twenty boys sang. A. Pinchuk, Boissons Avenue, was toastmaster; and Herbert spoke in Hebrew and in English. The head table was decorated with four oblong boat-shaped centrepeices, of spring flowers and roses, with candles; and the small tables held similar centrepieces, with spring flowers and tulips, and candles. From out-of-town were: I. Wechselblatt and daughter, Hannah; J. Rosenblatt, Sam. Saskin, all of Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. M. Wechselblatt and son, Herbert; Mr. and Mrs. I. Zollinger, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Rubin, and son, Harry, of Bronx, N.Y.; Mrs. M. Abouhov, and daughters, Elaine Sue and Hetty Marilyn, of Lakewood, N.J.; and Mr. and Mrs. N. Hecker, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Wechselblatt and son, Conrad, of Newburgh, N.Y.

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## Toronto Births

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Salsberg (nee Rene Rosen), 872 Winnett Avenue, announce the birth of a son, Lanny Mark, brother of Eric Paul, on Saturday, February 14, at Women's College Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. Rosen, 227 Ava Road; and Mr. and Mrs. A. Salsberg, 59 Cecil Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wilner, of Kincaid, Sask. (nee Rose Barenberg), 150a Palmerston Avenue, at Mount Sinai Hospital, on February 21, a daughter, Betty Sharon, sister of Lorne; grandchild of Mrs. R. Barenberg, 150a Palmerston Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilner, Saskatoon; great-grandchild of Mrs. M. Stein, Saskatoon.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Filler (nee Sophie Simon), of McEachran Avenue, Montreal, Que., a daughter, Pearl, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 25; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Simon, Beaconsfield Avenue; and of Mrs. S. Filler, Esplanade Avenue, Montreal, and the late S. Filler.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bornstein (nee Lillian Golden), 12 Castleview Avenue, a daughter, sister of Samuel, on Monday, February 23, at Toronto General Hospital. Grandparents are Mrs. F. Golden, 66 Beatrice Street; and Mr. and Mrs. M. Schienert; great-grandmother is Mrs. B. Riman, 66 Brunswick Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Palter (nee Pearl Kaufman), at Toronto General Hospital, on March 3, a son, Jon Milne, brother of Philip and Jillian.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Morris Shadlyn, 525 Cranbrook Avenue, on February 21, at Mount Sinai Hospital, a daughter, Marianne, sister of Sheila; grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. P. Shadlyn, 16 Robert Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Max Silver (nee Nettie Stillman), 924 Dundas Street West, at Mount Sinai Hospital, on February 25, a daughter, Doreen, sister of Albert; grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Stillman, Dundas Street West; and Mr. and Mrs. M. Silver, 270 Grace Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Murray Shapiro (nee Rena Chinsky), 15 Shields Avenue, at Toronto General Hospital, on March 2, a son; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. Chinsky, 30 Taylor Street; and of Mrs. R. Shapiro, Shields Avenue.

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## Bergson Group Offers Plan To U.N.

A ten-point program for setting up a Jewish republic in the Holy Land without the aid of any international force was put before the United Nations Palestine Commission [illegible] proposals for the creation of a provisional government to include Moslems and Christians as well as Jews.

Peter Bergson, head of the Committee, said later that the question was not whether there was to be a partition of Palestine, but whether it would be possible to avoid a blood bath after the termination of the British mandate on May 15.

Other points in the Committee's program included the creation of a volunteer armed force, including Moslems and Christians, as well as Jews, appointment of a temporary [illegible] to the United Nations, a request by each member of the commission that his Government provide a "bodyguard" of 20 to 100 soldiers, appointment of a border commission, an embargo on the sales of arms to the Arab states and an application by the commission to the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development for a $50,000,000 loan.

## Ministers, Rabbis Study Together

Fourteen Christian ministers of various faiths and fourteen rabbis are studying together toward their doctorates in the field of Semitics at The Dropsie College for Hebrew and Cognate Learning, in Philadelphia, Pa., of which Dr. Abraham A. Neuman is president. The ministerial group comprises not quite fifty percent of the sixty-two students presently registered at the forty-year-old non-sectarian institution which was founded by Moses Dropsie, Philadelphia traction magnate. The fourteen ministers, the survey further reveals, hold degrees from eleven American theological seminaries while the fourteen rabbis were ordained by five seminaries, three in the United States and two abroad.

The student body of Dropsie, one of the few American institutions of higher learning that confers no other degree than Doctor of Philosophy, come from forty-four colleges throughout the world. They hold ninety-two secular degrees as well as thirty-three theological degrees.

Among the foreign institutions represented in the present Dropsie student body are the Hebrew University, of Jerusalem, and the Universities of Berlin, London, Amsterdam, and Breslau. With each of America's big three, Harvard, Princeton and Yale, represented by one graduate, University of Pennsylvania degree-holders, with eleven, lead the field. Following in order are Columbia, nine; Yeshiva College, eight; Temple University, six; City College of New York, six; and New York University, four.

The Christian theological seminaries represented in the present Dropsie student body are: Princeton Theological Seminary, Westminster Seminary, Wagner Memorial Lutheran Seminary, Graduate School of the Lutheran Seminary, Faith Theological Seminary, Philadelphia Divinity School, Evangelical School of Theology, Crozier Seminary, Eastern Baptist Seminary, American Theological Seminary, and Calvin Theological Seminary.

Among the Jewish theological seminaries, the Jewish Theological Seminary and the Yeshiva, both of New York, are represented with five students each, the Jewish Institute of Religion of New York with two, and the Seminary Ets Haim, of London, and the Judisch-Theologisches Seminar of Breslau, with one each.

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[illegible] (nee [illegible]), of Brockville, Ont.; a son, Allan Joseph, brother of Doris and Judith, on January 22, at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, Brockville, Ont.; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. S. Moscovitch, 5037 Jeanne Mance Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Newman (nee Rena Cohen), 4564 Hutchison Street, a son, Arthur Lewis, brother of Elliott, at the Herbert Reddy Memorial Hospital, on February 26; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cohen, Hutchison Street; and of Mr. and Mrs. C. Newman, de Bullion Street; godson of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Newman, St. Urbain Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Max Heitman of Hartford, Conn. (nee Amelia Keyfitz, R. N.), a son, brother of Lonnie Irma, on March 13, at the St. Francis Hospital, in Hartford. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Keyfitz, 3464 Addington Avenue, Montreal; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Heitman, of Hartford.

[illegible] Stanley Michael, brother of Allan and Ernest, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 13. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. I. Finkelstein, Querbes Avenue. S. Shapiro, great-uncle, Clark Street, held the baby during the ceremony.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Glassbourg (nee Rosalin Rosemarin), Park Avenue, a son, Arne Sendar, brother of Lonna, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 29; grandson of Professor and Mrs. Jacob Rosemarin, St. Joseph Boulevard West; and of Emil Glassbourg, of Montreal. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldenberg, Victoria Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. I. Katz (nee Ettie Liffshitz), Victoria Avenue, a son, Charles, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 24; grandson of M. Liffshitz, Lajoie Avenue, and the late Mrs. M. Liffshitz; and of Mr. and Mrs. S. Katz, Soissons Avenue. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Dobrin, Addington Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rapkin (nee Serena Gruberman), Summerhill Avenue, a son, Myron Alvin, at the Jewish General Hospital, on February 29; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gruberman, Waverley Street; and of Mrs. S. Rapkin, Park Avenue. Godparents are Miss Mildred Gruberman and Joseph Gruberman, Waverley Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lesnoff (nee Ruth Rosenzveig), Lacombe Avenue, a son, Ian Leslie, at the Jewish General Hospital, on March 3; grandson of Mrs. Lily Rosenzveig, Esplanade Avenue, and the late I. Rosenzveig; and of Mr. and Mrs. S. Lesnoff, St. Cyrille Avenue; great-grandson of Mrs. R. Baker, Fulton Avenue; and of Mrs. J. Simkovits, Esplanade Avenue. Godparents are Miss Mona Rosenzveig, Esplanade Avenue; and Louis Lesnoff, St. Cyrille Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Benditsky (nee Ruth Schrager), St. Catherine Road, a son, Howard Fred, at the Jewish General Hospital, on March 2. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. Schrager, St. Catherine Road; and Mr. and Mrs. I. Benditsky, Jean Brillant Street. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. Zimmerman, of Philadelphia, Pa.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weiser (nee Gertrude Babins), Outremont Avenue, a daughter, Frances Eleanor, sister of Robert, at the Jewish General Hospital, on March 3; granddaughter of M. Babins, Clark Street; and of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Weiser, Outremont Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Abe Israel (nee Phyllis Naimer), 350 Willowdale Avenue, a daughter, Maxine Pola, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, on March 6. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. Naimer, Wilderton Crescent; and Mr. and Mrs. S. Israelovitch, McNider Avenue.

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## NEW HEAD

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dained 600 leaders, 350 of whom are now serving congregations throughout the United States and Canada. Because of an upsurge in liberal Judaism, marked by the creation of twenty new congregations in the last year, the college hopes to double its student body soon.

In a radio address from the college chapel Dr. Glueck emphasized the importance of scholarship in the Jewish tradition.

It is the task of the Hebrew Union College, he said, to interpret the tradition of Judaism in this era of American democracy. The genius of the American nation, he said, is to emphasize the good that is found in differences, and to encourage the enlargement of common contributions.

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The immediate building program outlined for the college includes a new dormitory, a new wing for an old dormitory and an additional wing for the Administration Building.

A feature of the Foundation Fund campaign is the endowment of a Julian Morgenstern chair in Bible in honor of Dr. Glueck's predecessor in the presidency. Of the $300,000 necessary for this project, $120,000 has been raised, largely from alumni of the college.

A new Department of Human Relations, designed to bridge the gap between religion and the social sciences, a School of Sacred Music in New York, a radio workshop, a summer institute for rabbis, a program of training for laymen under the joint auspices of the Hebrew Union College, and the University of Cincinnati; and the expansion of the library of the college, one of the three greatest collections of Judaica in the world, and the creation of a travelling museum to exhibit rare Jewish ceremonial objects and manuscripts are in prospect.

An attempt will be made, through the creation of the American Jewish Archives, to bring together in a central repository in Cincinnati, hitherto scattered source material on Jewish history in this country, such as documents, periodicals, letters and similar items.

## DEATHS

Mrs. Rachel Saxe Levin died at her home, 1489 Atwater Avenue, on March 12. She was the widow of the late Connel Levin. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Augusta Sapery, Mrs. Henry Weinfeld (Pauline); three sons, William, Simon, and Lyon Levin; four grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. B. Zeman (Annie), of Hartford, Conn. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi Wilfred Shuchat officiating. Burial was in Shaar Hashomayim cemetery.

Louis Fleischer died on March 10, at the Royal Victoria Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Esther Mendelsohn Fleischer; three daughters, Mrs. A. Sailer (Sylvia); Mrs. I. Golfman (Beatrice); and Miss Pauline Fleischer; and one son, Melvin. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi S. H. Hor[illegible] officiating. Burial was in [illegible] Street.

Samuel Grief, aged forty-seven, died on March 11. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Samuel Grief; three sons, Louis, Nathan, Hyman; five daughters, Reva, Sylvia, Muriel, Frances, and Elisabeth; two brothers, Myer and Alec; and four sisters, Mrs. S. Jacobson (Dora); Mrs. Sara Aron, Mrs. I. Perlman (Bella); and Mrs. W. Apel (Esther), of Joliette. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi A. H. Greenberg officiating. Burial was in National Hebrew Sick Benefit cemetery. Shiva was at the home, 6001 Jeanne Mance Street.

Mendel Denenberg died suddenly on March 7, at Cleveland, Ohio. He is survived by three sisters, Mrs. A. S. Mittleman (Dora); and Mrs. S. P. Smith (Ethel), both of Sherbrooke; Mrs. L. Greenspon (Florence), of Alexandria, Ont.; and two brothers, Samuel and Lionel. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Dr. C. N. Denburg, Rabbi, officiating. Burial was in Chevra Shass cemetery. Shiva was at the home of a brother, Lionel Denenberg, 4600 Wilson Avenue.

Jack Halickman died suddenly on March 10. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ethel Gurevitch Halickman; two sons, Ben., and David; two brothers, Hyman and Isaie; and four sisters, Mrs. F. Cohen (Feige); Mrs. G. Udashkin (Gertie); Mrs. H. Moss (Rose); and Mrs. H. Berson (Bessie). Funeral took place from Paperman's, Dr. C. N. Denburg, Rabbi, officiating. Burial was in Nusach Hari cemetery. Shiva was at the home, 555 Wiseman Avenue.

Phillip Gavsie died at his home, 5089 Victoria Avenue, on Thursday, March 4. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Dora Leith Gavsie; two sons, Dr. William H. Gavsie; and Charles Gavsie, C.B.E., of Ottawa, Ont.; and was the brother of Joseph Havsie, of Brooklyn, N.Y.; and Miss Sheindel Leith, of Sydney, N.S.; and leaves four grandchildren. Funeral was held from Paperman's, Dr. C. N. Denburg, Rabbi, officiating; and burial was in Chevra Kadisha Cemetery. Shiva was at the home.

## ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. David Rosan, St. Lawrence Boulevard, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ann[illegible] Mon[illegible] Both [illegible]

The engagement of Zelda, daughter of A. J. Ruby, Darlington Avenue, Montreal, and Mrs. M. Borkowsky, of New York, to Sidney (Cy), only son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Strulovitch, Duluth Street West, is announced; the marriage to take place on June 20.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosan, Champagneur Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Betty, to Harold, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lazanik, St. Urbain Street; the wedding to take place on September 12, at Chevra Kadisha Synagogue.

Mr. and Mrs. Saul Pont, Durocher Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Stella, to Myer, youngest son of Mrs. Charna Weinstein, Querbes Avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Lupeson, Lancashire Road, Cleveland Heights, Ohio, announce the engagement of their daughter, Charlotte Hope, to Marvin A. Saltzman, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Saltzman, of Severn Road, Cleveland Heights, and Miami, Florida. Miss Lupeson is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Popliger, 3472 Shuter Street, Montreal. She is a graduate of Flora Stone Mather College, and of the Western Reserve University School of Applied Social Sciences. Mr. Saltzman attended Cleveland College, [illegible] Michigan State College; and [illegible] for four years in the U. [illegible] graduating seven months [illegible] ago. The marriage will [illegible] place.

[illegible] and Mrs. Nathan A. [illegible] of New York, and Pat[illegible] N.Y., announce the engagement of Sheila, daughter of Mrs. [illegible]stein, and of the late Jacob [illegible] Barshay, to Dr. Victor C. Goldbloom, son of Dr. and Mrs. Alten Goldbloom, Cote des Neiges Road, Montreal. Miss Barshay is a graduate of the Brooklyn Ethical Culture School and Birch Wathen; and in the summer of 1946, attended the Institute of World Affairs, at Salisbury, Conn. She was graduated from Mount Holyoke College in 1947, where she was president of the International Relations' Club. Miss Barshay is associated with the League of Women Voters, of New York. Dr. Goldbloom is a graduate in medicine of McGill University, class of 1945, where he was a member of Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity. Following a two-year internship at the Children's Memorial Hospital, he is now assistant resident at Babies' Hospital of the Columbia Presbyterian Medical Centre, in New York. The marriage will take place in June, in New York.

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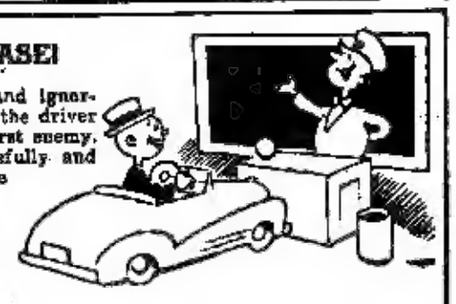
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# Social Notes — Toronto

*(Additional Toronto News on Pages Seven and Ten)*

Mrs. C. Sanders, 206 Glengrove Avenue West, spent two weeks in New York, also visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lou. Sanders, of Clifton, N. J.; and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Adelberg, of New Haven, Conn.

Mrs. Samuel Neustein, of Cliffside Park, N. J., formerly Miss Isabella Bear, of Toronto, is the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Meyer Goodman, Avenue Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Axler and daughter, Connie, are spending several weeks in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Hutter and daughter, Helen, formerly of 3060 Dundas Street West, have taken up residence at 1068 Avenue Road.

Mrs. A. Simmons, Heath Street West, spent several days in Montreal, visiting Mrs. Fannie Rothbart.

Murray Kofflar, Rosemary Road; Edward Creed, of Woodbridge; and Alfred Brenner, Durant Avenue; are spending several weeks in Sun Valley, Idaho.

Miss Phyllis Kurtz, Spadina Road, spent several weeks in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Cappe and son, Joseph, formerly of 114 Beatrice Street, have moved to their new home, 61 Elderwood Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Sapera, Highbourne Road, were in Miami, for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Shehter, 94 Whitmore Avenue, are spending several days in Kingston.

Mark H. Keyfetz, 315 Walmer Road, has returned from a trip to Southern California, and Mexico, having visited his daughter Miss Sylvia Keyfetz, of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Green, Forest Ridge Drive, returned from Ivry, Que.

Dr. and Mrs. Murray Simon and family, Ormsby Crescent, are spending several weeks in Miami, Florida.

Mrs. B. Rubinoff and family, 72 Rosemount Avenue, were in London, for several days to be present at the Silver-Brickman wedding, and were guests of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. Grafstein.

Samuel Grafstein, Baldwin Street, was in London, for the Silver-Brickman wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Grafstein, 147 Baldwin Street, were the guests of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. Grafstein, of London, while there for the Silver-Brickman wedding.

Mrs. K. Davis, Major Street, is visiting in Montreal, Que.

Morris Grafstein, Huron Street, spent several days in London, and was present at the Silver-Brickman wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Price, 160 McCaul Street, celebrated the barmitzvah of their son, Myer, at a reception at Murray House. Mrs. Price wore a black evening skirt, sky-blue crepe blouse, silver-colored accessories, and a corsage of Talisman and red roses. About one hundred and fifty guests called.

Mrs. J. Harris entertained at a luncheon at the Murray House for Miss Pauline Goodfield, fiancee of Murray Harris, who will be married in June. The bride-elect wore a navy-blue dress, navy accessories, white summer felt hat, trimmed with white flowers, and a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. D. Goodfield, mother of the bride-elect, wore a navy-blue crepe dress, black accessories, and navy hat, ribbon trimmed. Mrs. Harris wore a brown flowered print dress, brown accessories, and light beige summer felt hat. The table was decorated with a centrepiece of daffodils, tulips and pink carnations. About sixty guests were present.

Mrs. David Bernholtz entertained at a luncheon in the Flamingo Room of the Barclay Hotel, for Miss Helen Eisen. White and red tapers and a centrepiece of varicoloured snapdragons, with coloured ferns, decorated the table. Thirty guests were present. Mrs. D. Bernholtz wore a grey faille dress, and black hat, trimmed with contrasting green and blue veiling. The honoree wore a two-tone dress of pale pink and black, trimmed with bugle beading, and an open-crowned bonnet, trimmed with pink roses. Mrs. H. Eisen wore a mauve dress, and black hat with multi-coloured flowers. Mrs. M. Douglas wore a grey dress, with matching grey hat, veil trimmed.

Toby Marder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Marder, 181 Walmer Road, was honoured at a surprise party on her seventeenth birthday by Ruth Bograd, 49 Palmerston Avenue, at the latter's home. The honoree wore a black dress with a net yoke, and trimming of sequins, with black accessories. The hostess wore a black ballerina dress, with black accessories, and a string of pearl beads. Present were: Lilly Portnoy, of Kitchener; Dorothy Kideckel, Pearl Appelbaum, Edith Sugarman; and Seymour Spiegleman, William Zoszawski, Louis Weinstock, S. King, Murray Himmelfarb, and Ernest Risman.

Mrs. Max Douglas and Mrs. Harry Seigel gave a luncheon in honour of Miss Helen Eisen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eisen, 206 Bathurst Road, whose marriage [illegible] and white roses, and a headdress of roses, trimmed with tulle. Mrs. Harry Eisen, mother of the bride, wore a print dress of grey background, black hat, trimmed with flowers, and a corsage of red roses. The groom's mother, Mrs. Max Douglas, wore a navy-blue crepe dress, navy straw hat, and corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Harry Seigel, sister of the groom, was in a teal-blue suit, beige satin blouse, beige hat, trimmed with taffeta ribbon, and had a corsage of peach-coloured carnations. Sixty guests were present.

Mrs. S. Greenstein and Mrs. M. Mandel, Robert Street, gave a dinner party for their cousin, Miss Goldie Kleinberg, and her fiance, Morris Werger, who are to be married on June 8, at the Men of England Synagogue. The bride-elect wore a grey crepe dress, and red python accessories; Mrs. Greenstein, a beige afternoon dress, with beige snakeskin accessories; Mrs. Mandell, a black two-piece dress, trimmed with black beading, and black accessories; Mrs. M. S. Werger, a black crepe dress and black accessories; and Mrs. S. Kleinberg, wore a black and pink dress, and black accessories.

Mrs. J. Weinstein, 92 Montrose Avenue, entertained at a dinner party at Murray House for her son, Harry Weinstein, and his fiancee, Miss Molly Steinberg. The bride-elect wore a black bolero suit, black picture hat, and a corsage of deep red roses, Mrs. J. Weinstein, a black crepe dress, black accessories, and a corsage of red roses; and Mrs. L. Steinberg, mother of the bride-elect, a black dress, and a similar corsage.

Mesdames Samuel Ciglen, A. Temkin, and J. Phillips gave a tea for Miss Hilda Drexler, 24 Whitmore Avenue, at the home of Mrs. Samuel Ciglen, of the same address, in honour of her approaching marriage to Leon Temkin. The honoree wore a grey ballerina dress, with a corsage of pink carnations. The centre of the table was decorated with a bridal procession, and a small vase of Sweetheart roses at each end. Those who poured were: Mesdames H. Bain, O. Newman, A. Tim, M. Weinstein, and L. Mendelsohn for two hundred guests.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Marmer, 1012 Bathurst Street, entertained on their fortieth wedding anniversary. Invitations to friends and relatives were for dinner at one o'clock, to remain until ten, with a request that no gifts be sent except cash donations for use in Palestine. They received five hundred dollars which was donated to the Linitzer Sick Benefit Society to help boost their pledge to raise at least five thousand dollars for Palestine. Children of the hosts are: Mr. and Mrs. Max Marmer, 533 Brunswick Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Marmer, Highbourne Road. Grandchildren are Jack, Florence, Arnold, Kenneth and Ruth. Mesdames Max Marmer, L. Perlove, S. Cappe, C. H. Cappe, C. H. Rich, R. Tuplitsky, T. Grevitch, S. Pushkoff, S. Koltnsky, and A. Cappe, who assisted in receiving are members of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Society.

Mrs. P. Nyman and daughter, [illegible] with a Madeira linen table cloth, pink candlesticks set in crystal holders, and an arrangement of spring flowers in variety. The honoree wore a green crepe dress, trimmed with sequins, and a corsage of Talisman roses; Mrs. B. Wintraub, of Flushing, Long Island, mother of the bride-elect, wore a black crepe dress, trimmed with gold sequins, and a corsage of red roses; and Mrs. Nyman wore a grey crepe dress, trimmed with silver beading, and a corsage of red roses. Mrs. Berg wore a black crepe skirt and white blouse, trimmed with white and silver sequins, and a corsage of red roses. The marriage takes place on March 20, in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Blidner, 604 Manning Avenue, were entertained on their fortieth wedding anniversary by their children, Nathan Blidner, Mrs. Frank Friedman, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Blidner, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Paeter, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Handler, and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Blidner at dinner at Chudleigh House. The honorees wore a pale blue dress, with nylon trimming the top, and blue beading, and a pale mauve orchid. A ceremony was performed by Rabbi Judah Washer, and "I Love You Truly" was sung. There was a horseshoe cake, trimmed with miniature wine glasses. A gift of a [illegible] Children present were: Mr. and Mrs. Max Seigel, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Zeidel, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hillman, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hillman, Mr. and Mrs. David Slater, Mr. and Mrs. William Seigel, Mr. and Mrs. J. Beckerman, Rabbi and Mrs. Judah Washer, Mrs. Pearl Dover, Mrs. Sophie Rosen, Abraham Lustig, Harry Rosen, Benjamin Hillman, Alex Hirshorn, Mrs. Bessie Hillman, Harry Seigel, Miss Bayla Seigel, and Miss Bayla Dover. Moving pictures were taken.

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## APPROACHING MARRIAGES

Mr. and Mrs. J. Leibovitz, 608 Dufferin Street, announce the approaching marriage of their only daughter, Jeanette, to Ephraim Blatt, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Blatt, to take place on April 11.

## ENGAGEMENTS

The engagement of Miss Ruth Zlotkin, R.N., 115 Bernard Avenue, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zlotkin, to Jack Simon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Simon, 197 Arlington Avenue, is announced, the marriage to take place in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Magerman, 369 Brunswick Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Esther, to Gerald Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ray, 53 Winnett Avenue, the marriage to take place on May 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Belfer, 322 Clinton Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Julia, to Samuel Urovitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Urovitz, 252 Queen Street East, the marriage to take place on June 27, at Beth Jacob Synagogue.

## IN MEMORIAM

In loving and ever lasting memory of a dear husband and father, Israel Krangle, who passed away March 22, 1947. Ever remembered by his wife, Toby, and family, and grandchildren.

## MARRIAGES

### BAINERMAN-HARENDORF

The marriage of Molly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Harendorf, 13 Carling Avenue, to Bertram Bainerman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bainerman, 857 Spadina Avenue, was solemnized on Saturday, February 14, at half-past seven o'clock, at Shaw Street Synagogue, Rabbi David Monson, officiating. The bride wore a gown of ivory satin with net insert at the neckline, giving an off-the-shoulder effect, and side panniers. A beaded satin crown held her fingertip veil and she carried a Bible trimmed with orchids. Miss Frances Mallach, was maid of honour, wearing a rose-colored gown, matching headdress, and carried a cascade of pink and blue carnations. A. Weisberg was best man and ushers were: Robert Smollner, Abraham Nish, Saul Speisman, A. Bloom, Max Goodman, J. Bleiweis, Irving Harendorf, and Morton Weisberg. Mrs. Harendorf received, wearing a mist-blue gown, with silver sequin trimming, and a corsage of red roses; the groom's mother, Mrs. Bainerman, wearing blue, with gold-colored trimming, and a similar corsage. For the wedding trip to New York, the bride travelled in a mulberry-colored suit, with black accessories, Persian lamb coat, and a corsage of orchids.

### GLICK-DORFMAN

The marriage of Esther, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Dorfman, 189 Lonsmount Drive, to Earle Glick, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Glick, 788 Dundas Street West, took place at Club Top Hat, on Thursday, March 4, Rabbi A. Kelman officiating, assisted by Cantor J. Zigelman. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. Her white satin gown had a Queen Anne neckline and a fitted bodice around the waist tapering to a V in front. Her long tulle veil was draped to a white satin mantilla, trimmed with lace and beading, and she carried a cascade of Calla lilies, and Talisman roses surrounded by white freesia. Mrs. Jack Freedman, cousin of the bride, was matron of honour, wearing a deep green, off-the-shoulder gown, and matching ostrich plumed headdress, and she carried a cascade of Talisman roses, daffodils, and freesia. Misses Grace Gangbar, Sylvia Friedman, Marion Berman, Anne Chaplick, Shirley Silver, and Ruth [illegible] were bridesmaids, dressed in gowns similar to those of the bridesmaids, in blue. Karen Dorfman and Elaine Glick were flower girls, dressed in similarly styled long dresses. Norman Glick, brother of the groom, was best man. Mrs. Dorfman, mother of the bride, received, wearing an aquamarine-blue lame gown, and a wristlet of orchids; Mrs. Glick, mother of the groom, wearing a black and blue print nylon taffeta gown, and a corsage of deep red carnations. The bride and groom left for a motor trip through the Western United States to Mexico, the former travelling in a coral-coloured suit, white crepe blouse, winter-white hat, and brown beaver coat and accessories, with corsage of orchids. They will reside at 189 Lonsmount Drive.

### POMER-VAN LEWAN

The marriage of Dr. Kato Van Lewan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Van Lewan, of New York, and Dr. S. L. Pomer, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Pomer, St. Clair Avenue West, Toronto, took place on March 6, in San Francisco, California.

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Benjamin R. Epstein, of New York, National Director of the Anti-Defamation League of Bnai Brith, will speak in Toronto on Monday, March 22, to a meeting of all Bnai Brith lodges, at the Royal York Hotel, on "Enemies Of Democracy," sponsored by Toronto Lodge 836, for the installation of officers of Toronto Lodge. Milton Shekter is the incoming president, succeeding Norman Cowan.

Milton Shekter, 352 Palmerston Boulevard, Toronto, aged thirty, was elected president by acclamation of Bnai Brith Toronto Lodge Number 836, the youngest member to hold that office in the history of the lodge.

## Toronto Meetings

● JEWISH VOCATIONAL SERVICE. The formation of an Advisory Committee to assist in the work was announced by Joseph Tarshis, chairman of the Committee, to provide the staff with information on various businesses, trades, professions, for applicants; to advise people on opportunities; to advise of specific job opportunities. Director of the Service is [illegible]

[illegible] Samuel Goldenberg, Edward Gentle, Abbey A. Mater, Allen B. Chevir, Jack Gringorten, Max Copeland, Samuel J. Zacks, Harold S. Chaplin, Sydney M. Harris, W. B. Herman, William Ackerman, Max Enkin, Oscar James, N. Perlmutter, David Vise, Maurice Rosenfeld, Ben. Sugarman, Mark A. Levy, Moe Shulman, Carl K. Keyfetz, J. S. Midanik, Nathan M. Pivnick, Oscar Newman, Louis Berger, Harry Rosenfield, Julius Wiener, Dr. A. Lipson, Dr. H. Rivkin, Phillip Goldman, W. Isaacson, I. Rothbart, D. Lou, Harris, Ralph Gruber, J. B. Lubotta, Max Gilmore, Irwin Soren, Irwin Levitt, Charles Rose, David A. Croll, M.P.; M. J. Weinstein, Irving S. Albert, Harry Denaburg, Bart Cohen, Harry Manson, Jack Collins, David Raitblatt, Harry Fogler, Selig Gross, Isaac Caimus, Professor Bora Laskin, Samuel Positus, Sam. Domenfield, Dr. J. A. Sherman, Dr. Percy Singer, M. A. Starkman, I. Milton, Arthur A. Wagman, A. L. Wynston, Kenneth Rotenberg, Nathan Waldman, Sidney Schipper, Herman Goldenson, J. B. Salsberg, M.P.P.; Ben. Smith, Herbert J. Weiss, Harry M. Sampel, Ben. Harold, Bertrand Gerstein, Prof. Jacob Finkelman, M. I. Simpson, J. Winberg, M. J. Rothschild, M. Mandel, Harold Gross, A. Pearlstein, Miss Min Soltz, Gurston Allen, R. M. Masters, Samuel Fine, Henry Harris, J. I. Oelbaum, Dr. S. G. Fines, Arthur I. Cohen, Harry Donin, Leon E. Weinstein, Bert Godfrey, G. L. Gordon, A. B. Bennett, E. I. Shapiro, Miss Yvonne Davies, Dr. Reva Gerstein, Sol. [illegible]

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● SHAAREI SHOMAYIM Synagogue leap year dance followed a short meeting conducted by Sander Mamett, president. The cultural chairman, David Satok, reviewed plans. Gary Cainer is vice-president; social chairman, Miss Helen Harris, is assisted by Miss Adele Cainer; Solomon Rakoff is chairman of house committee. Dance refreshments were donated by Hillcrest Sisterhood.

● BRINDEL LUBOTTA Club met at the home of Mrs. H. Friedman, 434 Manning Avenue. Mother's Day event is on Sunday, May 9. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. M. Orenstein, 166 Forest Hill Road, will hear Rabbi D. Monson as speaker. All girls between 18 and 21 interested in joining are welcome. Call Miss Estelle Applebaum, at Me. 7502.

● BETH SHOLEM SISTERHOOD first spring dance, on Saturday, April 3, at the synagogue, 1445 Eglinton Avenue West, presents a gala floor show. Door prizes. Ticket conveners are: Mrs. Henry Donsky, OR. 1068; Mrs. Harry Poleroy, OR. 6746; others: Mesdames Mac Shore, Leon Offman, Norman Cappell, Jack Levine, Norman Steiner, Nathan Hurwitz.

● LEIBOVITZ CIRCLE raffle, donated by Mrs. H. Freed, was won by Mrs. L. Slippey. Congratulations were extended to Mr. and Mrs. J. Leibovitz, Dufferin Street, on the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Jeanette, to Ephraim Blatt.

● HADASSAH Chapter meetings were: Kadimah, at the home of Mrs. H. Bockstein, 193 Montclair Avenue. Nahalal, at the home of Mrs. S. Stark, Rosemary Road; discussion of the tea to take place April 19, at the home of Mrs. B. Walker, 110 Vesta Drive; conveners, Mesdames B. Rabinoff, S. Polock, M. Harwich, J. Gutman, tickets; proceeds for Youth Aliyah. Hatikvah, at the home of Mrs. F. Silver, 26 Otter Crescent. Lillian Freiman, at the home of Mrs. M. Starkman, 31 Rosemary Lane; co-hostess, Mrs. Leo Sokoloff; theatre night to take place Sunday, March 28, at 2071 Spadina Avenue; convenors, Mrs. M. Stark Hu. 8625; Mrs. O. Newman, Or. 8803; Mrs. J. Cutler, president, Hu. 0687. Olga Shayne, at the home of Mrs. H. Papernick, 44 Austin Terrace; discussion of tea to take place on Thursday, April 8, at the home of Mrs. H. Atkins, 191 Dunvegan Road. Pearle Goodfellow, at the home of Mrs. A. Newman, 123 Albany Avenue; conveners Mesdames M. Sokoloff, S. Davis, B. Newman. Nordia, at the home of Mrs. Arthur Bennett, 126 Elm Ridge Drive; discussion of tea to take place May 2, and a theatre night. Shalom, at the home of Mrs. M. Goldman, 210 Strathearn Road; discussion of tea to take place at the home of Mrs. O. Shainhouse, 94 Ridge Hill Drive, on Sunday, April 4; proceeds for Youth Aliyah; conveners, Mesdames K. Solomon, and S. Torno, E. Mandell, J. Cohen. Rishon, sherry party in aid of Jewish National Fund, on Sunday, March 21, at the home of Mrs. Harry Steiner, 27 Turner Road, from 3-6 p.m.; conveners, Mesdames, Harry Rotstein, with E. [illegible]

[illegible] on April 4, at the home of Mrs. M. Solomon, 76 Lyndhurst Avenue; hostess is Mrs. I. Freedman. Tel Hai, social meeting for members, on Thursday, March 22, at the home of Mrs. S. Orenstein, 20 Peveril Hill Road, at 8.30; Mrs. S. Orenstein is convener. Jordan, on Monday, March 22, at 8.30, at the home of Mrs. F. Langer, 332 Shaw Street; discussion of annual spring dance, to take place at Club Top Hat. On Thursday, April 1; conveners, Mrs. P. Stein, Mrs. I. Wilson; proceeds for Youth Aliyah. Western, Purim luncheon, on Tuesday, March, at Zionist Building; pastry and gefilte fish sale; hostesses, Mesdames M. Goldberg, A. Fine, M. Slater, N. Scher. Sharon Chapter tea, at the home of Mrs. A. Sabsay, 10 Nina Avenue, on Sunday, March 28, will give proceeds to Youth Aliyah. Mesdames L. Kert, H. James, S. J. Zacks, P. Dolgoff, M. Johnston, L. James, M. Stone, M. Rubinoff, B. Hillman, S. Positus, D. Pulver will pour.

● GOEL TZEDEC SYNAGOGUE Men's Club announce a change of date for the first annual fathers' and sons' dinner. It will be held on Thursday, March 25, at 6.45 p.m. Reservations from Barney Goldhar, LL. 2143.

● B'NAI BRITH YOUNG MEN Club Aquila are giving a Purim spring dance with orchestra at Eaton Auditorium on Saturday, March 27, at 8.30 p.m. Proceeds for charity. Tickets from any of members; Bnai Brith House, 492 Spadina Avenue (KI. 6923); and at the door. Jack Crangle, chairman; Max Zidenberg, Irving Milgrom, Harold Cooper, George Goldford, Sydney Ross, Ruben Kamen, Norman Burns, Norman Trachter are in charge.

● FOLKS FAREIN Ladies' Auxiliary met at the Folks Farein Building, Mrs. F. Winter presiding. Mrs. Meyer Littner, secretary, reported. For a Purim party on Sunday, March 28, at the Building, at which a Queen Esther will be chosen, conveners are: Mesdames R. Pearl, M. Rekin, S. Ehrlich, F. Berlin, S. Manheim, L. Feinstein, E. Goodfellow.

● GRAND ORDER of ISRAEL Ladies' Auxiliary, president, Mrs. Charles Segar, will give a social at the home of Mrs. I. Epstein, Montrose Avenue. Hostesses are Mrs. Jack Sherman and Mrs. Saul Goldberg.

● PHILADONS met at the home of Mrs. H. Dvoretsky, with J. Ashrow presiding. Rummage Sale takes place on March 28 at Jones

Ketchum Hall, Call LA. 2705 for goods to be picked up. Conveners are: Mesdames A. Nathan, M. Wilgrad, M. Winkler, J. Raider, J. Bassin, P. Banks, H. Baker.

● RELATIVE LADIES SOCIETY (Agudas Hamishpocha): Mesdames J. Naftolin, Lauder Avenue; K. Naftolin, Havelock Street; H. Naftolin, Winnett Avenue, were hostesses at a meeting, in honour of the golden wedding anniversary celebration of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. B. Cohen, Howard Avenue, of Windsor. Gold inscribed napkins and golden decorations were used in honour of the occasion. Mrs. J. Rubinoff, chairman, was assisted by Mrs. J. Naftolin.

## BIRTHS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. L. Gilbert (nee Evelyn Frieberg), 140 Rusholme Road, at Mount Sinai Hospital, on March 6, a daughter. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D. Frieberg, 240 Rusholme Road; and N. Gilbert, 615 Queen Street West; great-grandmother is Mrs. K. Dalvits, 273 Clinton Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur [illegible] and of Mrs. Toby Krongle, and [illegible]

## Writer Can't Go To Palestine Says U.S.

Abraham B. Magil, forty-three, a reporter for "The Daily Worker," of New York, announced that the U.S. State Department had denied him a passport to cover Palestine for the Communist newspaper. He charged that the action infringes on freedom of the press and free exchange of information.

Mr. Magil reported that he applied for a passport on Jan. 28 and that it was not until last week that he received a telegram from Mrs. Ruth B. Shipley, chief of the passport division of the State Department, denying the application.

The telegram said, "After careful consideration your case, Department of opinion it would not serve best interests of U. S. issue passport to you at this time."

A newspaper man for twenty-three years, Mr. Magil is the son of a Philadelphia, Pa., family who were among the organizers of the Zionist movement in that city many years ago. He said he had planned to depart for the Holy Land on March 22, had purchased tickets for the trip and had been advised by letter from the British that a visa could be granted him to enter Palestine.

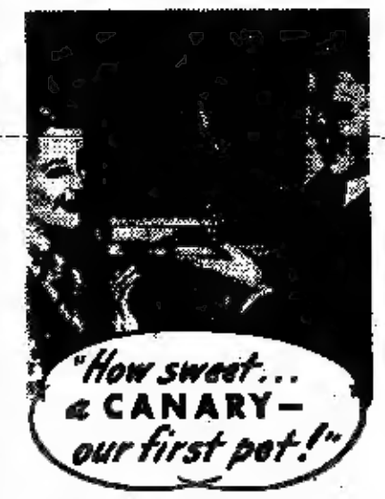
For the last ten years Mr. Magil had been executive editor of "The New Masses," the Communist weekly magazine which suspended publication with its January issue because of financial difficulties. Formerly he was employed by "The Bronx Home News" and "Women's Wear Daily," and was once political editor of "The Worker."

"As a United States citizen who has never been arrested or been involved in any illegal matters," Mr. Magil said, "I feel my rights are being violated. The department's action must arouse intense suspicions among all Americans anxious for the future of the Holy Land. Many Americans would agree such censorship definitely does not serve the best interests of the United States."

Mr. Magil said John Gates, editor of "The Worker", had protested the action to Secretary of State George C. Marshall and had informed the American Newspaper Guild, a Congress of Industrial Organizations affiliate of which Mr. Magil is a member, the American Newspaper Publishers Association and the American Society of Newspaper Editors.

Michael McDermott, of the press division of the State Department, said that Mr. Magil's application had been carefully considered, and indicated that it would be embarrassing to Mr. Marshall for a passport to be issued to an avowed Communist.

He pointed out that a passport is in effect a formal letter of introduction, signed by the Secretary of State, vouching for its holder and asking that courtesies be extended him. He would not comment further.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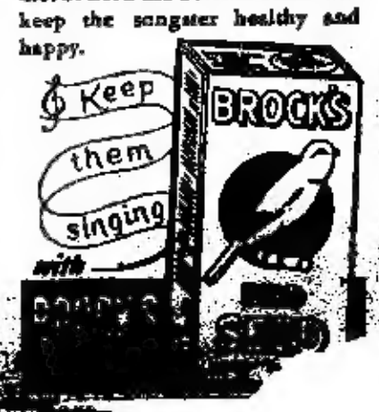


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## ARABS BLAME

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The Arabs asserted that the Jewish Agency "decided to adopt an aggressive and offensive policy" in 1939 to force Britain to change its program, and added: "When the Jewish Agency and its terrorist organizations were directing their operations — against the British — several hundred Arabs were killed, and several hundred more were injured."

"We do not deny," the Arabs said, "that there has been a wave of Arab violence after the 29th of November. The whole country was aroused with wrath against the partition. This Arab violence, however, can be proved to have been committed by excited mobs at hearing the reports of the mutilation of their country.

"Even then, the Arabs have carefully avoided attacking women and children. The outrages committed by the terrorist gangs of the Jewish Agency, on the other hand, have often been directed against Arab hotels, offices and dwellings, with a cold-blooded intent of killing indiscriminately men, women and children."

## MANY PRACTICAL

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Lydda. It is in Jewish Palestine, but its eastern border is the frontier line with the proposed Arab state.

These problems have raised a number of human and moral questions that the lawyers have not tackled yet. Do the British have the right to get out before an alternate force for maintaining order is arranged? If the politicians cannot arrange or enforce a final political settlement, can they not at least arrange a truce or enforce a truce while the long-range question is being debated?

## every friday

"Sometimes when people censure me,
I tell them without rancor
That for what it cost me to be free,
I might have had an anchor."

The Book of Esther, which you are preparing to re-read now because of Purim, the Feast of Lots, is a magnificent melodrama of the rich deep purple variety, tipped with the iridescent flame of genius, strung with intrigue and suspense, crackling with the exercise of adequate revenges, and fitted up with characters who seem to be getting what is coming to them, at least on the surface. However, considerable injustice has been suffered by this racy story at the heavy hands of the pompous, leafing through it to extract moral lessons for Sunday School use, such as the right to be different in religion, the resounding triumph of freedom and equality whenever a tyrant falls, and so on, when it could be taken straight just for fun, as a non-religious holiday can be.

The play opens, as all plays should, with something escapist for the tired editor, a scene of fabulous splendour which was acquired without the slightest effort on the part of the owner. That owner is King Ahasuerus who ruled over a hundred and twenty-seven provinces from India to Ethiopia, and in the third year of his reign he is spending one hundred and eighty days doing nothing except showing off the riches of his glorious kingdom and the honour of his excellent majesty to all his princes and servants.

The final party took place in the court of the garden of the palace where white, green, and blue hangings were fastened with cords of fine linen and purple to silver rings and pillars of marble; and where the beds were of gold and silver, upon a pavement of red, and blue, and white, and black marble. The guests drank from vessels of gold which were diverse one from another. This went on for seven days and then the King got the bizarre idea of sending seven chamberlains for Vashti, the Queen, to display her beauty which was doubtless of the tall, long-stemmed, statuesque kind. But Vashti, who was giving a women's party of her own in the royal house, was too much of a lady for anything like that and refused to appear. This brought up the grave question of how the King was going to save his face which by that time was pretty red.

Naturally, the first thing the King did was to go into conference with his seven princes of Persia and Media, who knew law and judgment, to decide what should be done with such a balky Queen. Those were the days and it didn't take them long. It was not only that Vashti had done wrong by the King. That seems to have been almost the least of it. But just imagine how the other women in the provinces would behave toward their husbands when it was reported that the Queen had disobeyed hers! How would it look? There would arise too much contempt and wrath. A royal commandment was needed to be written among the laws, and not to be altered, that Vashti be set aside, so that all the other wives should give their husbands the proper honour. Letters were sent to that effect to every province, to every people, in every language that every man should bear rule in his own house, and no monkey business. (Do you hear?)

With the next move, to gather together all the fairest young maidens at the palace so that the King should choose a new Queen, enter Mordecai, the Jew. Mordecai was the promoter type with a sharp eye to the main chance and his ear to the ground. He had brought up Esther, his uncle's daughter, as his own and she was fair and beautiful. Maybe she could be Queen? No harm in trying. So Esther appeared among the other candidates at the King's house, but, on the advice of Mordecai, applying for the job without listing her religion. Every day for a year Mordecai walked by to see how his project was going, for that's how long it took Esther to be done up, six months with oil of myrrh, and six months with sweet odours and with other things. At last everyone thought she looked just lovely, and the King was immediately enchanted and made her Queen, crown and all. Regrettable to state, she still had not told him that she was Jewish, following Mordecai's advice.

Mordecai's favorite spot seems to have been the King's gate where he sat and took things in. Fate gave him a hand when two chamberlains at the gate were plotting to take the King prisoner and he got onto them. He told Esther the Queen and she told the King, the men were hanged, and the incident was recorded in the chronicles. It was at the gate, too, that Mordecai refused to bow down and do reverence before Haman, who was above all the princes, although the King had commanded it. Most observers always point with pride to this fact as a gold star for Mordecai. Why? Haman was next to the King and a salute was only a formal gesture to authority. The truth is that Mordecai was churlish, cavalier with good public relations, and foolhardy, besides.

When Haman found out that Mordecai was a Jew, for he had told the servants at the gate, Haman had it in for him and all the other Jews as well, and began to plot their destruction. Now, Haman has always been portrayed as a vicious anti-Semite and his name has been used for centuries to typify other man who deserved the term down to Hitler. But Haman was probably not so much anti-Jewish as he was anti-Mordecai and can you blame him? Day in and day out Mordecai must have given him a sly, dirty smile and no deference, a breach of etiquette and a defiance of law and order, King and country. He just brought out the worst in Haman and for no defensible reason.

The result was that Haman worked on the King with telling effect. He said here were these aliens-people, scattered abroad and dispersed in all the provinces, whose laws were different from all people's and who didn't keep the King's laws. Therefore there was no percentage in allowing them there and their extermination should be decreed. When he said that, Haman also offered a huge donation for the royal treasuries. The King was weak and greedy and he told Haman to go ahead and do what he thought was best. The order to kill and loot went out, and the King and Haman sat down and had a drink on it.

When Mordecai learned all that he tore his clothes, he put on sackcloth and ashes and he went through the city shrieking gewalt. Everywhere Jews were wailing and he must have had a guilty conscience for being such a smart alec. In a panic, he looked to Esther to save the situation and sent her a message urging her to go to the King for her people! "Think not with thyself that thou shalt escape in the King's house, more than all the Jews.... And who knoweth whether thou art come to the kingdom for such a time as this?" Esther plans her campaign. "If I perish, I perish." Luckily, all she had to do to obtain an audience at the throne was to get all dressed up and stand where the King could see her, just another famous example of radioactive personality.

Then, one night the King couldn't sleep and he had the records read aloud to him. They recalled the deed of Mordecai who had saved him from the scheming chamberlains. When the King learned that nothing had ever been done to reward Mordecai, he called in Haman to plan something suitable. Haman, thinking that he was the man whom the King delighteth to honour, was ready with a beautiful mental picture of a man arrayed in the King's apparel, with the crown royal, being brought on horseback through the city, himself. But it was he who had to conduct Mordecai, the Jew, to the cheers of millions down through the centuries. There was worse and more of it in the banquet scene, with Esther pointing at him as the wicked adversary of her people, and with mention made of the gallows which Haman had built for Mordecai. The King's response was as swift as any in history. "Hang him thereon," he said in simple good taste. And he felt much better.

Things moved fast after that. Mordecai got Haman's house. Esther cried and carried on plenty and the King reversed the destruction edict by posts on horseback, mules, camels, and young dromedaries. The Jews were to stand for their life and destroy all the power of the people that would assault them! Many of these became Jews rather than face it. Mordecai was dressed to kill in blue and white, with a great crown of gold and a garment of fine linen and purple, and the Jews had light and gladness, a feast and a good day. When they lay hand on such as sought their hurt, no man could withstand them. Their enemies were sort of paralyzed by fear. The Jews lay about them with swords, showing great dash and style, and slew those that hated them by the hundreds. The ten sons of Haman were killed. Who wasn't? It was a field day. When the King said what next, just say the word, Esther, a bloodthirsty girl, just asked for more of the same and down went thousands as Mordecai dressed better and grew greater.

The wicked device of casting Pur, the lot, to destroy the Jews was turned against their enemies, and the Jews ordained upon their seed to celebrate Purim, the Feast of Lots, forever by sending presents to each other and gifts to the poor. It's all written down there in the Book of Esther except the admonition to eat well of kreplach and hamantaschen, which isn't necessary in any generation.

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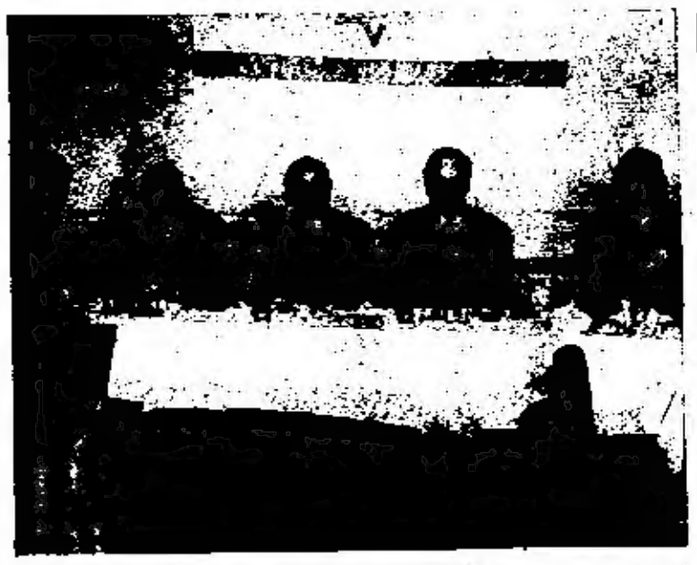

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